

## PART-A (PERIODIC TABLE)

### INTRODUCTION :

The arrangement of all the known elements according to their properties in such a way that the elements of similar properties are grouped together in a tabular form is called periodic table.

### Development of periodic table :

#### (A) LAVOISIER CLASSIFICATION OF ELEMENTS

At first Lavoisier classified the elements into two categories.

- (i) Metal
- (ii) Non-metal

*Note : This classification cannot categorise the metalloid variety.*

#### (B) DOBEREINER'S TRIAD RULE [1817]

- (i) He made groups of three elements having similar chemical properties called TRIAD.
- (ii) In Dobereiner triad, atomic weight of middle element is nearly equal to the average atomic weight of first and third element.

e.g.

Cl	Br	I	
35.5	80.0	127	$\frac{35.5 + 127}{2} = 81.25$
Ca	Sr	Ba	
40	87.5	137	$\frac{40 + 137}{2} = 88.5$
Li	Na	K	
7	23	39	At. wt of Na = $\frac{7 + 39}{2} = 23$

- (iii) Other examples – (K, Rb, Cs), (P, As, Sb), (S, Se, Te), (H, F, Cl), (Sc, Y, La)

#### (C) NEWLAND'S OCTAVE RULE [1865]

- (i) He arranged the elements in the increasing order of their atomic mass and observed that properties of every 8<sup>th</sup> element was similar to the 1<sup>st</sup> one, like in the case of musical vowels notation.

Sa	Re	Ga	Ma	Pa	Dha	Ni	Sa
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

- (ii) At that time inert gases were not known.

Li	Be	B	C	N	O	H
Na	Mg	Al	Si	P	S	F
K	Ca					Cl

- (iii) The properties of Li are similar to 8<sup>th</sup> element i.e. Na, Be are similar to Mg and so on.

### Drawbacks or Limitations :

- (a) This rule is valid only upto Ca. because after Ca due to filling of d-orbitals there is difference of 18 elements instead of 8 element.
- (b) After the discovery of inert gas this law had to be dropped out.
- (c) He failed in the case of heavier metals as Fe has been placed along with O and S.

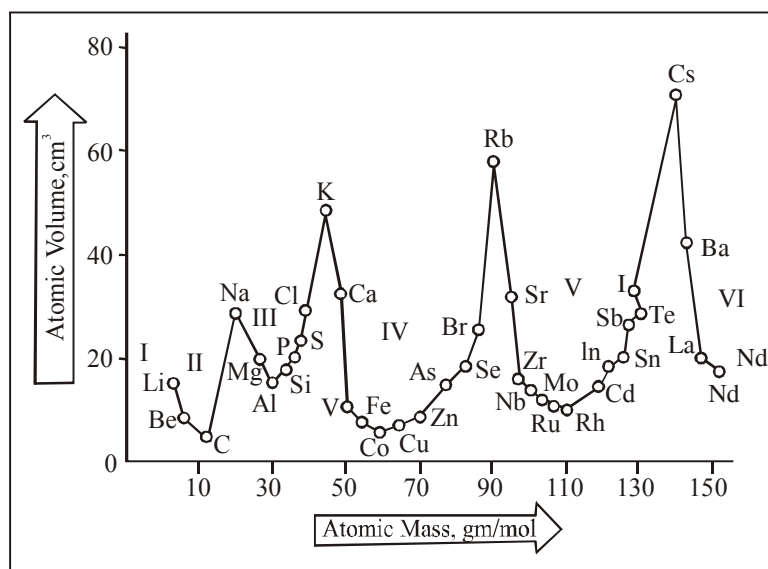
**(D) LOTHER MEYER'S CURVE [1869]**

- (i) He plotted a curve between atomic weight and atomic volume of different elements.
- (ii) The following observations can be made from the curve –
  - (a) Most electropositive elements i.e. alkali metals (Li, Na, K, Rb, Cs etc.) occupy the peak portions of the curve.
  - (b) Less electropositive i.e. alkaline earth metals (Be, Mg, Ca, Sr, Ba) occupy the descending portions of the curve.
  - (c) Metalloids (B, Si, As, Te, At etc.) and transition metals occupy bottom part of the curve.
  - (d) Most electronegative i.e. halogens (F, Cl, Br, I) occupy the ascending portion of the curve.

**Note :** Elements having similar properties occupy similar portions of the curve.

**Conclusion :**

On the basis of this curve, Lotser Meyer proposed that the physical properties of the elements are periodic function of their atomic weight and this became the basis of Mendeleev's periodic table.

**(E) MENDELEEV'S PERIODIC TABLE [1869]**

- (i) **Mendeleev's periodic law** – The physical and chemical properties of elements are the periodic function of their atomic weight
- (ii) **Characteristic of Mendeleev's periodic table** –
  - (a) It is based on atomic weight
  - (b) 63 elements were known, noble gases were not discovered.
  - (c) He was the first scientist to classify the elements in a systematic manner i.e. in horizontal rows and in vertical columns.
  - (d) Horizontal rows are called periods and there were 7 periods in Mendeleev's Periodic table.
  - (e) Vertical columns are called groups and there were 8 groups in Mendeleev's Periodic table.
  - (f) Each group upto VII<sup>th</sup> is divided into A & B subgroups. 'A' sub group elements are called normal elements and 'B' sub group elements are called transition elements.
  - (g) The VIII<sup>th</sup> group consists of 9 elements in three rows.
  - (h) The elements belonging to same group exhibit similar properties.

**(iii) Merits or advantages of Mendeleev's periodic table –**

- (a) **Study of elements** – For the first time, all known elements were classified in groups according to their similar properties. So study of the properties of elements became easier.
- (b) **Prediction of new elements** – It gave encouragement to the discovery of new elements as some gaps were left in it.

Sc (Scandium), Ga (Gallium), Ge (Germanium), Tc (Technetium) were the elements whose position and properties were well defined by Mendeleev even before their discoveries and he left the blank spaces for them in his table.

e.g. - Blank space at atomic weight 72 in silicon group was called Eka silicon (means properties like silicon) and element (*discovered later*) was named Germanium .

Similarly other elements discovered after mendeleev periodic table were :

Eka aluminium – Gallium(Ga)

Eka Boron – Scandium (Sc)

Eka Silicon – Germanium (Ge)

Eka Manganese – Technetium (Tc)

- (c) **Correction of doubtful atomic weights**—Corrections were done in atomic weight of some elements.

$$\text{Atomic Weight} = \text{Valency} \times \text{Equivalent weight.}$$

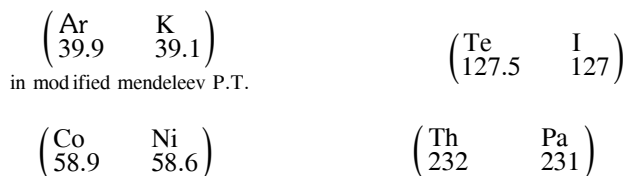
Initially, it was found that equivalent weight of Be is 4.5 and it is trivalent ( $V = 3$ ), so the weight of Be was 13.5 and there is no space in Mendeleev's table for this element. So, after correction, it was found that Be is actually divalent ( $V = 2$ ). So, the weight of Be became  $2 \times 4.5 = 9$  and there was a space between Li and B for this element in Mendeleev's table.

Corrections were done in atomic weight of elements are – U, Be, In, Au, Pt.

**(iv) Demerits of Mendeleev's periodic table –**

- (a) **Position of hydrogen** – Hydrogen resembles both, the alkali metals (IA) and the halogens (VIIA) in properties so Mendeleev could not decide where to place it.
- (b) **Position of isotopes** – As atomic weight of isotopes differs, they should have been placed in different position in Mendeleev's periodic table. But there was no such place for isotopes in Mendeleev's table.
- (c) **Anomalous pairs of elements** – There were some pair of elements which did not follow the increasing order of atomic wts.

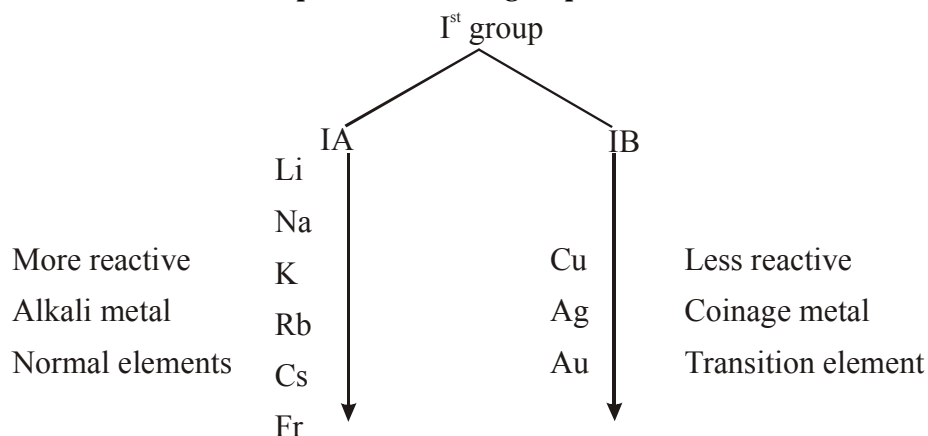
eg : Ar and Co were placed before K and Ni respectively in the periodic table, but having higher atomic weights.

**(d) Like elements were placed in different groups.**

There were some elements like Platinum (Pt) and Gold (Au) which have similar properties but were placed in different groups in Mendeleev's table.

Pt	Au
VIII	IB

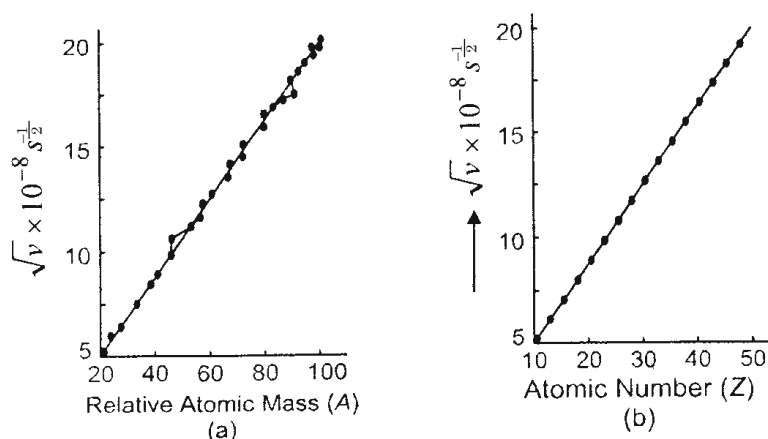
(e) Unlike elements were placed in same group.



Cu, Ag and Au placed in I<sup>st</sup> group along with Na, K etc. While they differ in their properties (Only similar in having  $ns^1$  electronic configuration)

### (F) MODERN PERIODIC TABLE (MODIFIED MENDELEEV PERIODIC TABLE)

- (i) It was proposed by **Moseley (1913)**.
- (ii) Modern periodic table is based on atomic number.
- (iii) Moseley did an experiment in which he bombarded high speed electron on different metal surfaces and obtained X-rays.



He found out that  $\sqrt{\nu} \propto Z$  (where  $\nu$  = frequency) of X-rays from this experiment, Moseley concluded that the physical and chemical properties of the elements are periodic function of their atomic number. It means that when the elements are arranged in the increasing order of their atomic number, elements having similar properties gets repeated after a regular interval. This is also known as '**Modern Periodic Law**'.

- (iv) **Modern periodic law** – The physical & chemical properties of elements are a periodic function of their atomic number.
- (v) **Characteristics of modern periodic table** –
  - (a) 9 vertical columns called groups.
  - (b) IA to VIIA, IB to VIIB, VIII and 0
  - (c) Inert gases were introduced in periodic table by Ramsay.
  - (d) 7 horizontal series called periods.

**(G) LONG FORM / PRESENT FORM OF MODERN PERIODIC TABLE**

(It is also called as 'Bohr-Burry & **Rang**, Werner Periodic Table.)

- (i) It is based on the Bohr-Burry electronic configuration concept and atomic number.
- (ii) This model was proposed by Rang & Werner
- (iii) It consists of 7 horizontal periods and 18 vertical columns (groups)
- (iv) According to I. U. P. A. C. 18 vertical columns are named as 1<sup>st</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> group.
- (v) The co-relation between the groups in long form of periodic table and in modern form of periodic table are given below.

IA, IIA, IIIB, IVB, VB, VIB, VIIB, VIII, IB, IIB, IIIA, IVA, VA, VIA, VIIA, 0

1    2    3    4    5    6    7    8, 9, 10    11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18

- (vi) Elements belonging to same group have same no. of electrons in the outermost shell so their properties are similar.

**Description of periods :**

Period	n	Sub shell	No. of elements	Element	Name of Period
1.	1	1s	2	${}_1\text{H} - {}_2\text{He}$	Shortest
2.	2	2s, 2p	8	${}_3\text{Li} - {}_{10}\text{Ne}$	Short
3.	3	3s, 3p	8	${}_{11}\text{Na} - {}_{18}\text{Ar}$	Short
4.	4	4s, 3d, 4p	18	${}_{19}\text{K} - {}_{36}\text{Kr}$	Long
5.	5	5s, 4d, 5p	18	${}_{37}\text{Rb} - {}_{54}\text{Xe}$	Long
6.	6	6s, 4f, 5d, 6p	32	${}_{55}\text{Cs} - {}_{86}\text{Rn}$	Longest
7.	7	7s, 5f, 6d, 7p	32	${}_{87}\text{Fr} - {}_{118}\text{Og}$	Longest

## Extended or Long Form of the Periodic Table

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UPAC designations of groups of elements are given in brackets

## CLASSIFICATION OF ELEMENTS INTO s, p, d & f BLOCK ELEMENTS:

**s – block :**

- (i) configuration  $ns^{1-2}$  (ii) last  $e^-$  enters in s orbital
- (iii) two groups I A or 1 ; II A or 2

**p – block :**

- (i) configuration  $ns^2 np^{1-6}$  (ii) last  $e^-$  enters in p orbital
- (iii) six groups III A, IV A, V A, VI A, VII A, zero or 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18

**d – block : [ Transition Elements ]**

- (i) configuration  $(n-1)d^{1-10} ns^{0-2}$  (ii) last  $e^-$  enters in d orbital
- (iii) their two outermost shell are incomplete
- (iv) 10 groups III B, IV B, V B, VI B, VII B, VIII (Triad), I B, II B or 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, (8, 9, 10), 11, 12 .
- (v) four series 3d, 4d, 5d, 6d belong to 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> period respectively in long form of Periodic table.

**f – block : [ Inner Transition ]**

- (i) configuration  $(n-2)f^{0-14} (n-1)d^{0-2} ns^2$
- (ii) last  $e^-$  enters in f orbital
- (iii) two series 4f Lanthanides & 5f Actinides belong to 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> period respectively in long form of Periodic table.

**Neil Bohr's classification of elements :**

Using electronic configuration as the criteria, elements are of four types. The classification of the elements into these groups is dependent on the extent to which the s, p, d and f orbitals are filled.

**Inert Gases :**

- (a) s – and p-orbitals of the outer most shell of these elements are completely filled. The outermost electronic configuration is  $ns^2 np^6$ .
- (b) Helium is also inert gas but its electronic configuration is  $1s^2$

**Representative or Normal Elements :**

- (a) Outermost shell of these elements is incomplete. The number of electrons in the outermost shell is less than eight.
- (b) s-and p-block elements except inert gases are called normal or representative elements.

**Transition Elements :**

- (a) These metals were placed between s-block metals and p-block elements so, are named transition metals.
- (b) Their outermost electronic configuration is similar to d-block elements i.e.  $(n-1)d^{1-10} ns^{1-2}$ .
- (c) Last two shells of these elements namely outermost and penultimate shells are incomplete.
- (d) The last shell contains one or two electrons and the penultimate shell may contain more than eight and up to eighteen electrons.
- (e) According to definition of transition elements, those elements which have partly filled d-orbitals in neutral state or in any stable oxidation state are called transition elements. According to this definition Zn, Cd and Hg (IIB group) are d-block elements but not transition elements because these elements have  $d^{10}$  configuration in neutral as well as in stable +2 oxidation state.

**Inner Transition Elements :**

- (a) In these elements last three shells i.e. last, penultimate and prepenultimate shells are incomplete.
- (b) These are related to IIIB i.e. group 3.
- (c) The last shell contains two electrons. Penultimate shell may contain eight or nine electrons and pre-penultimate shell contains more than 18, up to 32 electrons.
- (d) Their outmost electronic configuration is similar to f-block element  
i.e.  $(n-2)f^{0-14}(n-1)d^{0-2}ns^2$

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**METALS, NON-METALS & METALLOIDS**

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Apart from classifying elements into s, p, d and f-blocks, there is yet another broad classification of elements based on their properties. The elements can be broadly classified into

**(a) Metals:**

Majority of the elements in periodic table are metals and appears on the left side of the periodic table.

**Properties:**

- (i) These are usually solid at room temperature [exception - mercury]
- (ii) They have high melting and boiling point [exception Gallium & Cesium have very low melting point (303 K and 302 K respectively)]
- (iii) They are good conductor of heat and electricity.
- (iv) They are malleable (can be flattened into thin sheets by hammering) and ductile (can be drawn into wires)

**(b) Non-Metals:**

These are placed at the top right hand side of periodic table. As we move horizontally along a period, the property of elements changes from metallic (on left) to non-metallic (on the right).

**Properties :**

- (i) These are usually solids or gases at room temperature.
- (ii) They have low melting point and boiling point (exception : Boron, Carbon).
- (iii) Most Non-metallic solids are brittle and are neither malleable nor ductile.

**(c) Metalloids (Semi-metals):**

Properties of these elements show the characteristics of both metals and non-metals. Silicon (Si), Germanium(Ge), Arsenic(As), Antimony(Sb) and Tellurium(Te) are metalloids.

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**ESTIMATING POSITION OF AN ELEMENT FROM ITS ELECTRONIC CONFIGURATION**

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The last electron enters in which subshell gives idea of its block.

[☉] **Think** :  $1s^1$  and  $1s^2$  belongs to which block]

Period number = Principal quantum number of valence shell electron in ground state electronic configuration.

Group number for s block = number of valence shell electrons

Group number for p block = 10 + number of valence shell electrons

Group number for d block = number of  $[ns + (n-1)d]$  electrons

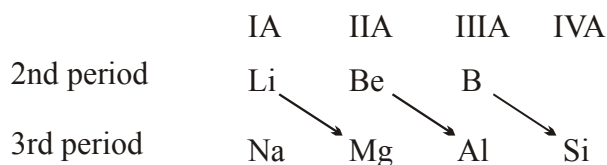
Group number for f-block = 3

[☉] **Use these carefully while locating the position.**



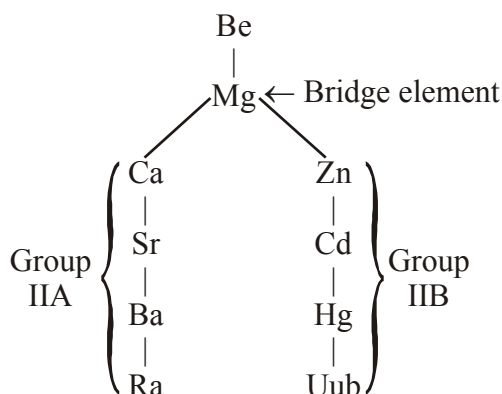
### SOME COMMONLY USED TERMS

1. **Noble Gases** : Element of group 18 are called noble gases. These are also called as inert gases because their outermost ns and np orbitals are completely filled (except He and  $1s^2$ ) and these gases are non-reactive in nature under ordinary conditions.
2. **Typical elements** : Elements of second and third period are known as typical elements.
3. **Diagonal relationship** : Properties of elements of second period resemble with the element of third period. This resemblance between properties of 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> period is called diagonal relationship.



#### 4. Bridge elements :

The typical elements of third period are also called bridge elements as the division between two subgroups A and B starts from these elements. In second group Mg acts as a bridge element. The properties of bridge element are some what mixed of the elements of two subgroups as magnesium shows similarities with alkaline earth metals (IIA) on one hand and with zinc metals (IIB) on the other.



### IUPAC NOMENCLATURE OF THE ELEMENT :

The names are derived by using roots for the three digits in the atomic number of the element and adding the ending -ium. The roots for the number are

Digit	Name	Abbreviation
0	nil	n
1	un	u
2	bi	b
3	tri	t
4	quad	q
5	pent	p
6	hex	h
7	sept	s
8	oct	o
9	enn	e

Thus element with atomic number 109 will be named as **une** (**u** for 1, **n** for 0 and **e** for 9). Table summarises the names of the elements with atomic number above 100.