

Year 8 Science

Chemistry Revision – Atoms

Oxford textbook chapter 4.6 (page 72 – 73)

1. According to the particle model:

- all matter is made of atoms that have no mass and are too small to be seen with the naked eye.
- some matter is made of atoms that have mass and are small, but can be seen with the naked eye.
- all matter is made of atoms that have mass and are small, but can be seen with the naked eye.
- all matter is made of atoms that have mass but are too small to be seen with the naked eye.

2. According to John Dalton's model of atoms, which of the following statements is *incorrect*?

- Atoms cannot be created or destroyed, and are indivisible.
- All matter consists of tiny particles called atoms.
- All atoms of the same element are identical, but different from atoms of other elements.
- Atoms lose their identities when they combine to form compounds.

3. Write a definition for an atom.

The smallest particle of a chemical element
that can exist. They are too small to be seen
with the naked eye.

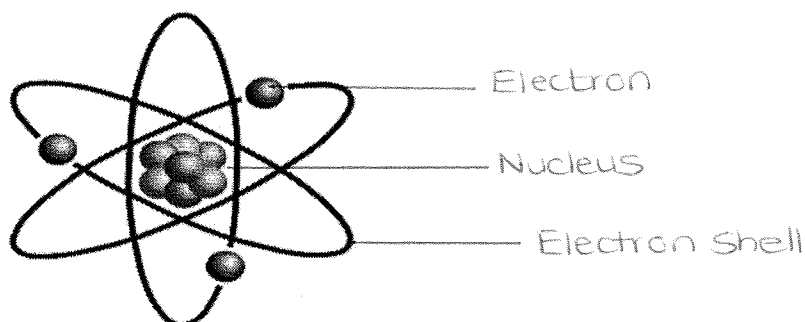
4. Name the particles, and the charge of each particle, you would find in an atom.

- a) Protons – Positive Charge
- b) Neutrons – No charge
- c) Electrons – Negative Charge

5. What other differences are there between these three particles?

Protons and neutrons have a similar mass, while electrons have a significantly small mass.

6. Using the following words as a guide (*nucleus, electron and electron shell*) label the following diagram of an atom.



7. Give a definition of atomic number.

Represents the number of protons in an atom.

8. Give a definition of atomic mass.

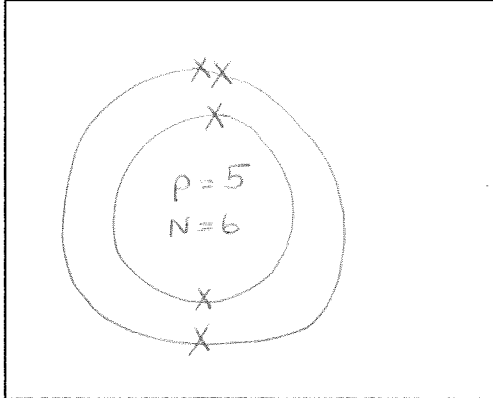
Represents the number of protons and neutrons in an atom.

9. Complete the following table (note – round your answers to whole numbers)

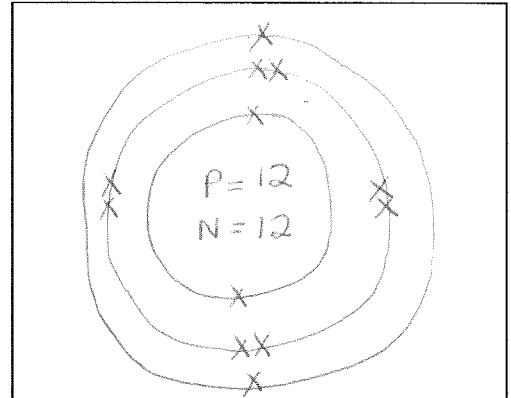
| Element | Number of Protons | Number of Electrons | Number of Neutrons | Electron Configuration |
|-------------|-------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| Potassium | 19 | 19 | 20 | 2, 8, 8, 1 |
| Sulphur | 16 | 16 | 16 | 2, 8, 6 |
| Aluminium | 13 | 13 | 14 | 2, 8, 3 |
| Fluorine | 9 | 9 | 10 | 2, 7 |
| Argon | 18 | 18 | 22 | 2, 8, 8 |
| Silicon | 14 | 14 | 14 | 2, 8, 4 |
| Oxygen | 8 | 8 | 8 | 2, 6 |
| Phosphorous | 15 | 15 | 16 | 2, 8, 5 |
| Beryllium | 4 | 4 | 5 | 2, 2 |

10. Draw a diagram, showing the number of protons, neutrons and electrons for the following atoms.

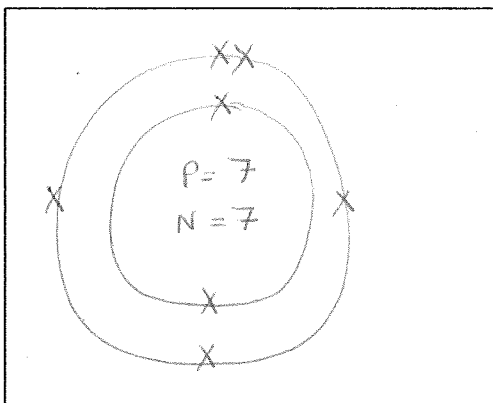
Boron



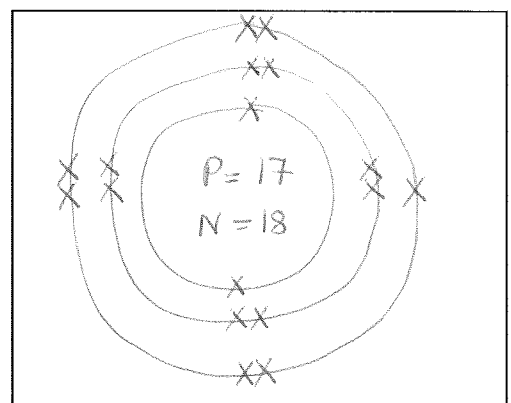
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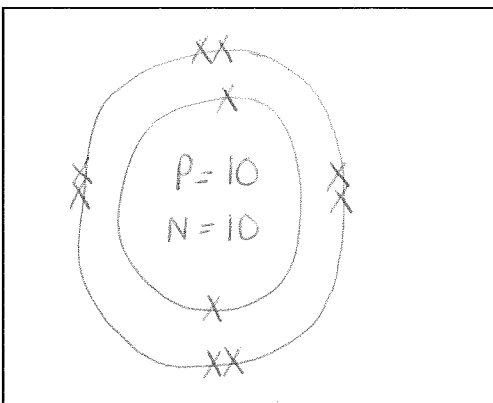
Nitrogen



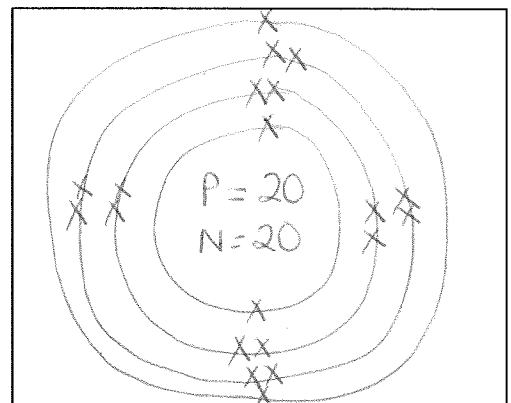
Chlorine



Neon



Calcium



The Periodic Table

Answer the following questions using your notes, textbook, and the periodic table.

1. Define a family (group).

Each column of the periodic table is called a group. All of the elements in the same group have the same number of electrons in their outer shell (valence shell).

2. What is a period?

Each row of the periodic table is called a period. All of the elements in the same row have the same number of electron shells

3. What is the symbol for the following elements?

a. **Mg**

b. **K**

c. **Ar**

d. **F**

4. What are the names of the following elements?

a. **Carbon**

b. **Chlorine**

c. **Beryllium**

d. **Lithium**

5. What period are the following elements in?

a. **1**

b. **4**

c. **5**

d. **5**

6. What group are the following elements in?

a. **16**

b. **2**

c. **17**

d. **8**

7. What is the atomic symbol for Aluminium? **Al**

8. P is the symbol for what element? **Phosphorus**

9. The element that has the atomic number 17 is? **Chlorine**

10. List the symbols for two transition metals. **Any two symbols from groups 3-12.**

11. Use the words below to fill in the blanks.

| | | | | |
|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|
| corrosion | potassium | malleable | solids | nitrogen |
| metal-like | better | dull | stretched | brittle |
| ductile | good | shiny | gases | silicon |
| poor | worse | hydrogen | boron | calcium |

METALS:

- Metals are **good** conductors of heat and electricity.
- Metals are **shiny** in appearance.
- Metals are ductile (can be **stretched** into thin wires).
- Metals are **malleable** (can be pounded into thin sheets).
- When metal reacts with water, it causes **corrosion**.
- Some examples of metals include **potassium & calcium**

NON-METALS:

- Non-metals are **poor** conductors of heat and electricity.
- Non-metals are not **ductile** or malleable.
- Solid non-metals are **brittle** and break easily.
- They are **dull** in appearance.
- Many non-metals exist as **gases**
- Some examples of non-metals include **nitrogen & hydrogen**

METALLOIDS.

- Metalloids (**metal-like**) have properties of both metals and non-metals.
- They are **solids** that can be shiny or dull.
- They conduct heat and electricity **better** than non-metals but **worse** than metals.
- They are ductile and malleable.
- Examples of some metalloids include **boron & silicon**

Use your periodic table to complete the table below

| | Element | Symbol | Group Number | Period Number | # of valence electrons | # of electron shells | Metal, non-metal or metalloid |
|----|------------------|-----------|--------------|---------------|------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1 | Oxygen | O | 16 | 2 | 6 | 2 | NM |
| 2 | Helium | He | 18 | 1 | 8 | 1 | NM |
| 3 | Carbon | C | 14 | 2 | 4 | 2 | NM |
| 4 | Aluminum | Al | 13 | 3 | 3 | 3 | M |
| 5 | Calcium | Ca | 2 | 4 | 2 | 4 | M |
| 6 | Sodium | Na | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 | M |
| 7 | Potassium | K | 1 | 4 | 1 | 4 | M |
| 8 | Nitrogen | N | 15 | 2 | 5 | 2 | NM |
| 9 | Silicon | Si | 14 | 3 | 4 | 3 | Metalloid |
| 10 | Neon | Ne | 18 | 2 | 8 | 2 | NM |
| 11 | Hydrogen | H | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | NM |

12. Cu, Ag, and Au are all in what group #? **11**

13. Name two noble gases. **Any two elements in group 18**

14. What is the last element in period 4? **Krypton (Kr)**

15. Write the symbols or the names for each of these elements:

Chlorine **Cl**

Zn **Zinc**

Na **Sodium**

Helium **He**

Potassium **K**

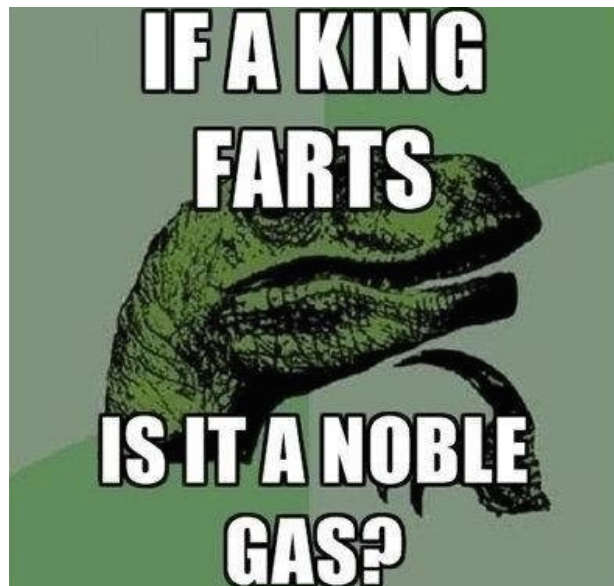
Ne **Neon**

16. What information do the groups on the periodic table give us ?

All of the elements in the same group have the same number of electrons in their outer shell (valence shell).

17. What can be determined using the periods on the periodic table ?

All of the elements in the same row have the same number of electron shells



Compounds, mixtures, molecules and elements

1. Which of the following correctly defines a compound?

- a) Two atoms of one element that are chemically bonded
- b) Two or more atoms of different elements that are chemically bonded**
- c) A mixture of two or more substances
- d) Two elements that are not chemically bonded



2. Provide four examples of common compounds:

Water H₂O

Carbon dioxide CO₂

Methane CH₄

Hydrochloric acid HCl

3. All compounds are molecules, but not all molecules are compounds. True or false. Explain your reasoning:

True. A molecule is two or more atoms that are bonded together. The atoms can be the same, or different. If the atoms are different we call it a compound.

If they are the same it is not a compound, but it can still be called a molecule.

For example O₂ is a molecule, but not a compound.

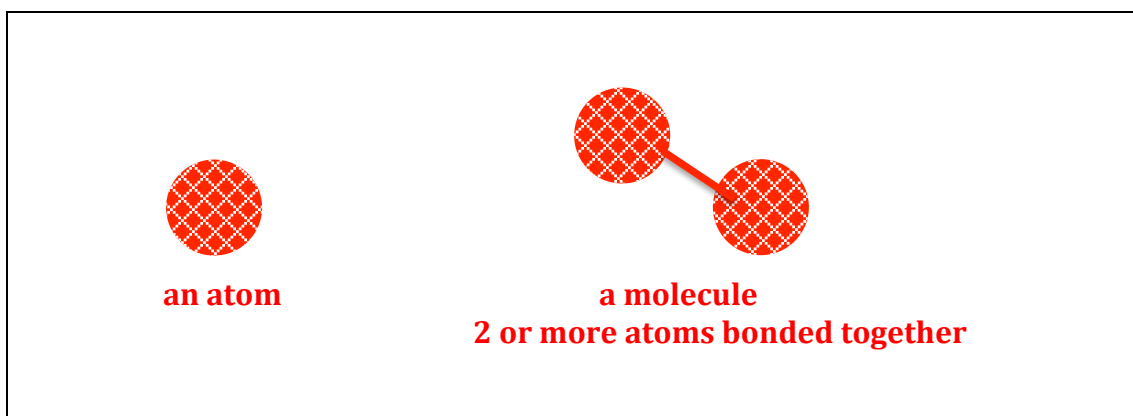
4. Which of the following lists contain compounds only?

- a) H₂O, N₂, Ar, CH₄
- b) HCl, NaBO₃, O₂, CaO
- c) NaHCO₃, CH₄, H₂O**
- d) O₂, N₂, H₂

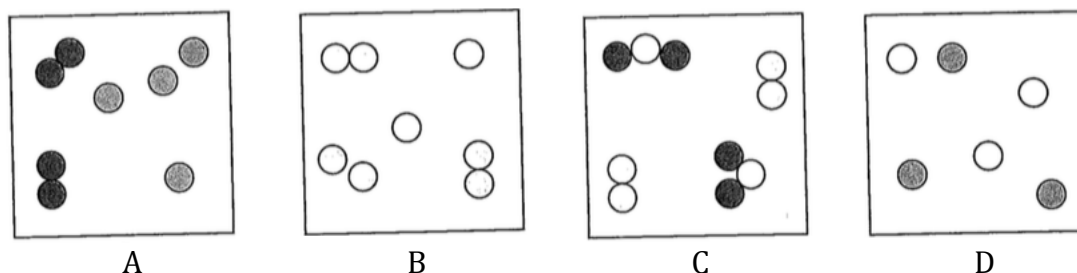
5. Describe the difference between an atom and a molecule?

An atom is single. It is not chemically bonded to anything else. A molecule is made up of two or more atoms chemically bonded together. A molecule is bigger than an atom because it is two or more atoms bonded together.

6. In the box below draw an atom and a molecule. Ensure that you label your drawing.



7. Examine the four boxes below. Each circle represents an atom and the different shading pattern represents different types of atoms.

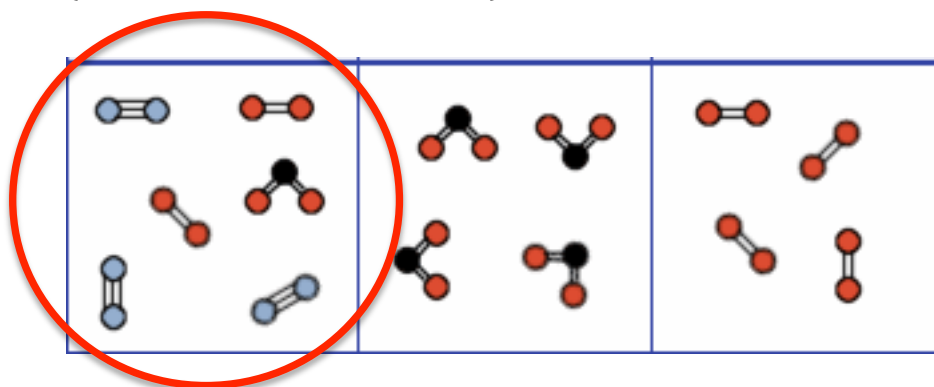


Which of the boxes contains the following*:

- | | |
|--|----------------------------------|
| a) Individual atoms of elements only | <u> D </u> |
| b) Chemical compounds only | <u> None </u> |
| c) Some molecules that are not compounds | <u> A, B and C </u> |
| d) A mixture of compounds and atoms | <u> None </u> |
| e) A mixture of molecules and atoms | <u> A and B </u> |

*Note: it is possible that none of the boxes contain the requested item – if this is the case then write 'none'. It is also possible that more than one box may contain the requested item.

8. Which of the following boxes represent a mixture?
(circle the correct box or boxes)



Justify your choice (what is it about the box you selected that makes you think it is a mixture?).

The first box represents a mixture because it contains different molecules. it is not a pure substance, but rather made up of different things. An example of a mixture is air. Air is mostly made up of oxygen, argon, nitrogen and carbon dioxide. The other two boxes only contain one type of molecule, therefore they are not mixtures.

9. Write the following statements into the correct circle below:

Can only be separated chemically
Can be separated physically
Combine chemically forming molecules

Not chemically combined
Combine in set proportions
Can combine in any proportion

Compounds

Mixtures

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Combine chemically forming molecules
Combine is set proportions**

**Can be separated physically
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Can combine in any proportion**

How are chemical reactions represented?

Chemical changes are changes in which new substances with different properties and chemical compositions are formed and are therefore usually not easily reversed.

A chemical reaction looks like the word equation below;

Reactants → Products

What is a Reactant?

A substance/s that are present at the beginning of a chemical reaction

What is a Product?

A substance/s present at the end of a chemical reaction. (They are new substances).

What is a Chemical reaction?

When bonds of reactants are broken and new bonds are formed to produce new substances.

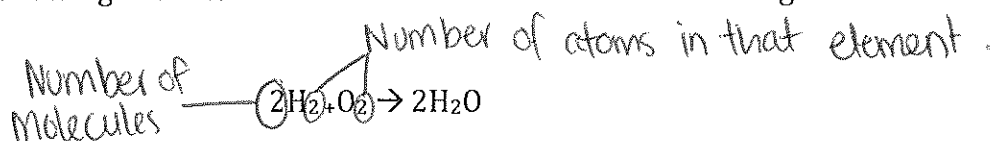
Why do we use **word** equations?

To show a chemical reaction using the names (eg. hydrogen) of the reactants and products.

Why do we use **formula** equations?

To show a chemical reaction using the chemical (eg. H) formulas of the substances (reactants and products).

Look at the following chemical formula below and answer the following questions;



i. What does the large number in front of the 2H_2 tell you?

There are 2 hydrogen MOLECULES. (tells you how many molecules there are.)

ii. What does the number after the 2H_2 tell you?

How many atoms are present of that element. (eg. There are $2 \times \text{H}$)

iii. How many Hydrogen and Oxygen MOLECULES are there before and after the chemical reaction?

Before = $2 \times \text{H}$, $1 \times \text{O}$

After = 0 after → because it's a new molecule



iv. How many Hydrogen and Oxygen ATOMS are there before and after the chemical reaction?

Before = $2 \times 2 = 4$ H atoms, 2 O atoms

After = $2 \times 2 = 4$ H atoms, 2 O atoms.

What do the following symbols mean?

- (aq) - Aqueous - the substance has been dissolved in water
- (s) - Solid - the substance is in solid state
- (g) - gas - the substance is in gas state.
- (l) - liquid - the substance is in liquid state.

Answer the following questions about chemical reactions.

1. When a sodium chloride (NaCl) solution is mixed with a silver nitrate (AgNO₃) solution, white silver chloride (AgCl) is produced, leaving behind a sodium nitrate (NaNO₃) solution.

Identify the reactants.

Sodium chloride = NaCl
Silver Nitrate = AgNO₃

Identify the products.

Silver chloride = AgCl
Sodium nitrate = NaNO₃

Construct a word equation (use names).

Sodium chloride + Silver nitrate → Silver chloride + Sodium nitrate.

Construct a formula equation (use symbols).

$\text{NaCl} + \text{AgNO}_3 \rightarrow \text{AgCl} + \text{NaNO}_3$

2. Hydrochloric acid (HCl) reacts with silver nitrate (AgNO₃) and converts it into silver chloride (AgCl) and Nitric Acid (HNO₃)

Identify the reactants.

Hydrochloric acid = HCl
Silver nitrate = AgNO₃

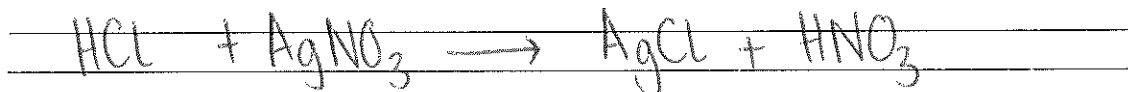
Identify the products.

Silver chloride = AgCl
Nitric Acid = HNO₃

Construct a word equation (use names).

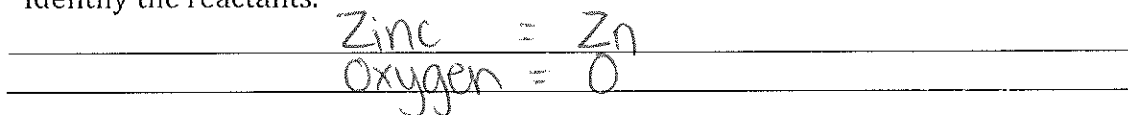
Hydrochloric Acid + Silver nitrate → Silver chloride + Nitric Acid.

Construct a formula equation (use symbols).



3. Zinc reacts with oxygen and converts it into zinc oxide.

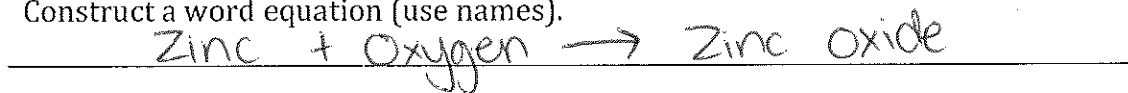
Identify the reactants.



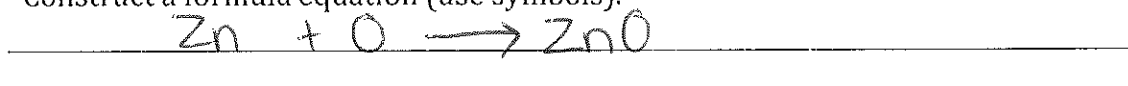
Identify the products.



Construct a word equation (use names).

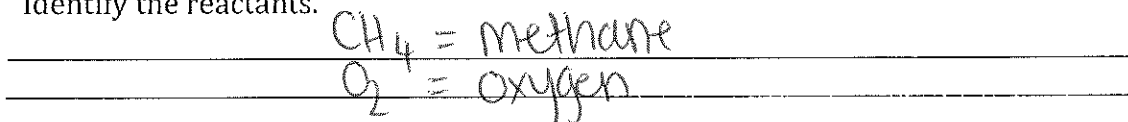


Construct a formula equation (use symbols).

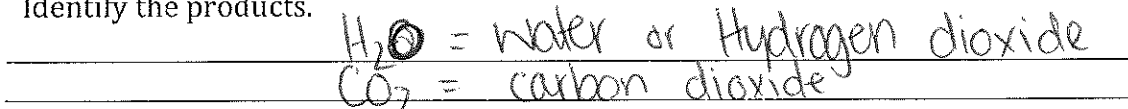


4. CH_4 reacts with O_2 and converts it into H_2O and CO_2 .

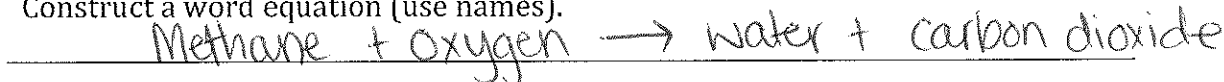
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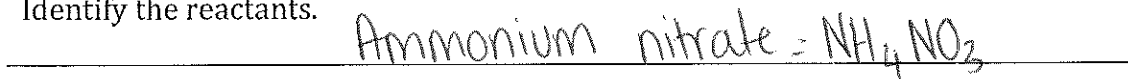


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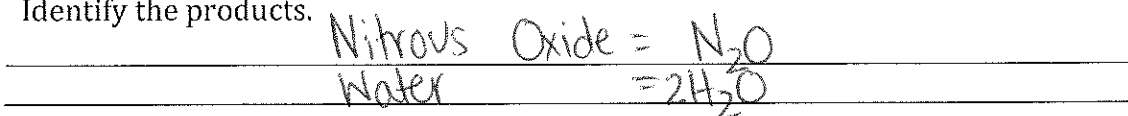


5. Ammonium Nitrate reacts to yield Nitrous Oxide and Water

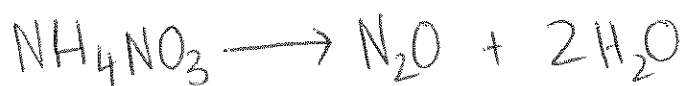
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Identify the products.



Construct a formula equation (use symbols).

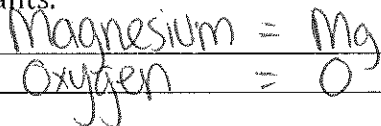


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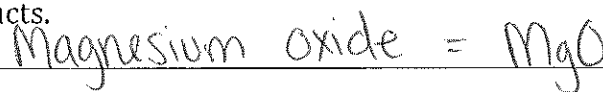


6. Magnesium + Oxygen \rightarrow Magnesium Oxide

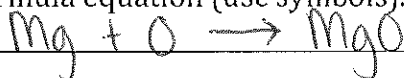
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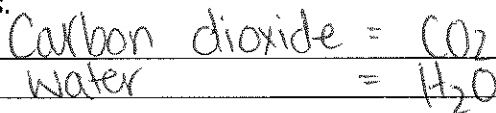


Construct a formula equation (use symbols).



7. In plants carbon dioxide reacts with water and sunlight (chlorophyll) to yield Glucose (C₆H₁₂O₆) and oxygen.

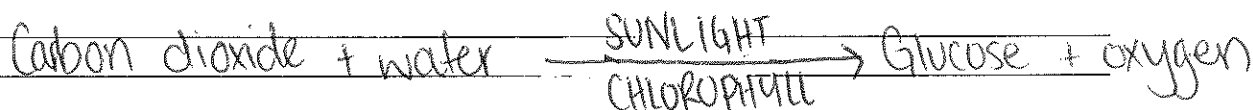
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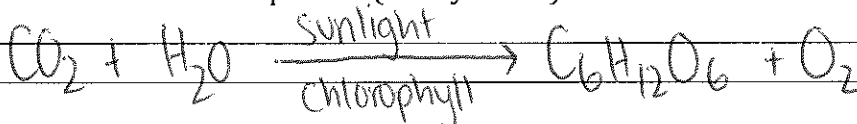
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Construct a word equation (use names).

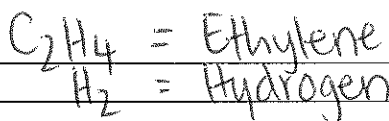


Construct a formula equation (use symbols).



8. C₂H₄ reacts with H₂ to yield C₂H₆.

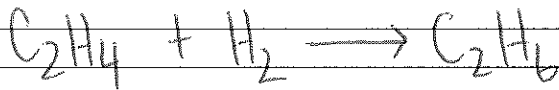
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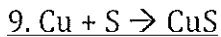
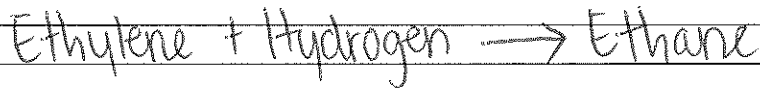
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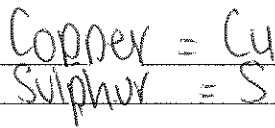
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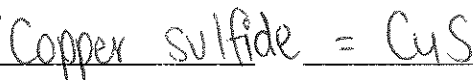
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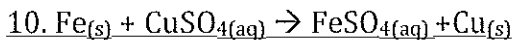
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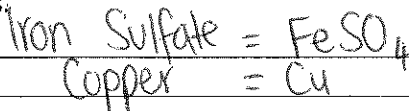
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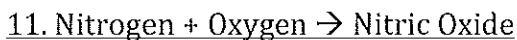
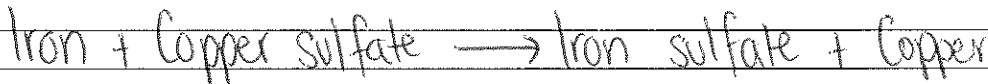
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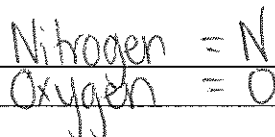
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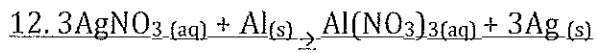
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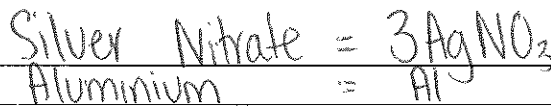
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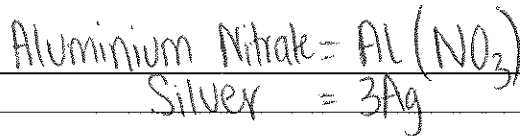
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Identify the reactants.



Identify the products.



Construct a word equation (use names).

