

Lecture No

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Classes and nomenclature of inorganic compounds

Substances

Simple

Metals

Na

Fe

Co

Nonmetallic
elements

N

O

S

Complex

Binary

oxides

CaO

hydrides

NaH

sulphides

K_2S

chlorides

$CuCl_2$

nitrides

BN

Polyatomic

bases

NaOH

acids

H_2SO_4

salts

Na_2CO_3

coordination
compounds

$Na_3[Al(OH)_6]$

Atoms and Ions

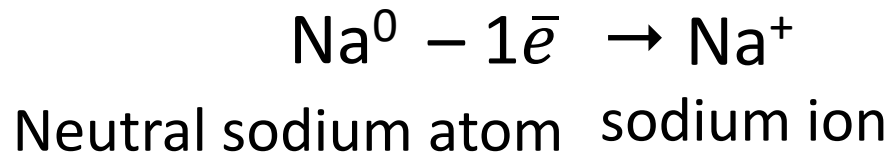
An **atom** is smallest neutral particle of matter characterizes an element.

An **ion** is an electrically charged species consisting of a single atom or a group of atoms. It is formed when a neutral atom or a group of atoms either gains or loses electrons.

A positive ion, called a **cation** (pronounced cat' eye on).

For example cations Na^+ , Mg^{2+} .

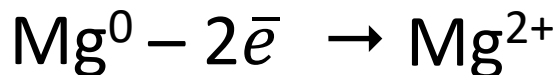
If one of the electrons from the sodium atom is lost, there will be eleven positive charges but only ten negative charges. This gives an ion with a net positive one (+1) charge:



Some atoms lose more than one electron.

We usually represent this process as follows.

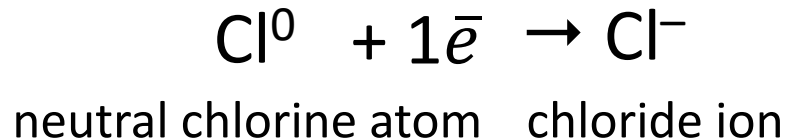
For example, a magnesium atom loses two electrons to form a 2+ cation:



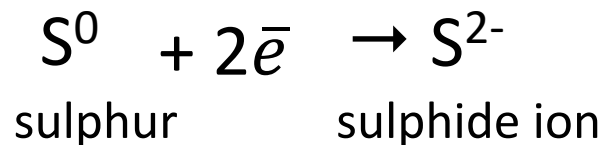
When electrons are gained by a neutral atom, an ion with a negative charge is formed.

A negative charged ion is called **an anion**.

An example of an atom that forms a 1 – anion is the chlorine atom:



Some atoms can add two electrons to form 2 – anions.



Now we will describe how to name compounds in each of those classes in the next several examples.

1. The cation is always named first and the anion second.
2. A simple cation (obtained from a single atom) takes its name from the name of the element. For example, Na^+ is called sodium in the names of compounds containing this ion.
3. A simple anion is named by taking the first part of the element name and adding – **ide**. Thus Cl^- ion is called **chloride**.

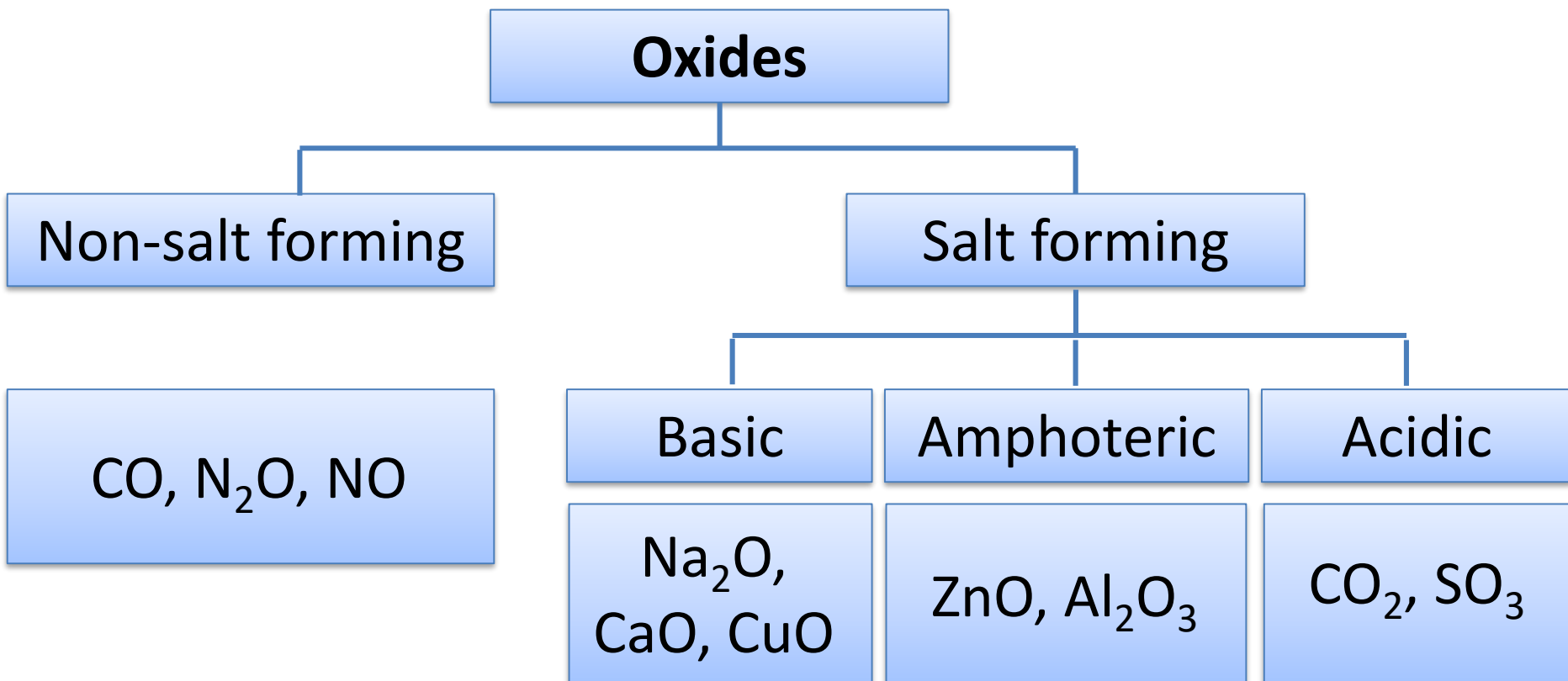
Cation	Name	Anion	Name
H ⁺	hydrogen	H ⁻	hydride
Na ⁺	sodium	F ⁻	fluoride
K ⁺	potassium	Cl ⁻	chloride
Mg ²⁺	magnesium	Br ⁻	bromide
Ca ²⁺	calcium	I ⁻	iodide
Fe ²⁺	iron (II)	B ³⁻	boride
Fe ³⁺	iron (III)	N ³⁻	nitride
Al ³⁺	aluminum	O ²⁻	oxide
Ag ⁺	silver	S ²⁻	sulphide

Naming binary covalent compounds

Formula	Name	
	Using prefixes	Stock system
BCl_3	boron trichloride	boron (III) chloride
NO	nitrogen oxide	nitrogen (II) oxide
PbO_2	lead dioxide	lead (IV) oxide
N_2O_5	dinitrogen pentoxide	nitrogen (V) oxide
PCl_5	phosphorus pentachloride	phosphorus (V) chloride

OXIDES

Oxides are binary compounds of an element or radical with oxygen in the oxidation state of -2 .



Highest oxides of elements of III period

I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII
Na_2O	MgO	Al_2O_3	SiO_2	P_2O_5	SO_3	Cl_2O_7
Sodium oxide	Magnesium oxide	Aluminium oxide	Silicon dioxide	Phosphorus (V) oxide	Sulphur (VI) oxide	Chlorine (VII) oxide
Strong basic	Basic	Amphoteric	Slightly acidic	Acidic	Strong acidic	Very strong acidic

Over the period from the left to the right:

Metallic properties of elements **are decreasing**

Basic properties of oxides **are decreasing**

Acidic properties of oxides **are increasing**

Hydroxides of elements of III period

I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII
NaOH	Mg(OH) ₂	Al(OH) ₃	H ₂ SiO ₃	H ₃ PO ₄	H ₂ SO ₄	HClO ₄
Sodium hydroxide	Magnesium hydroxide	Aluminium hydroxide	Silicic acid	Orthophosphoric acid	Sulphuric acid	Perchloric acid
Strong basic	Basic	Amphoteric	Slightly acidic	Acidic	Strong acidic	Very strong acidic

In case the element forms several oxides, acidic properties of oxide are increasing with the increasing of oxidation state of the element. Basic properties decrease accordingly:

+2
CrO
Basic

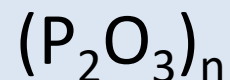
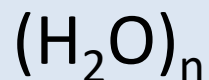
+3
Cr₂O₃
Amphoteric

+6
CrO₃
Acidic

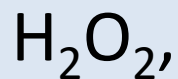
Double oxides contain an element in two oxidation states:

Fe₃O₄ magnetite, iron (II) iron (III) oxide FeO·Fe₂O₃

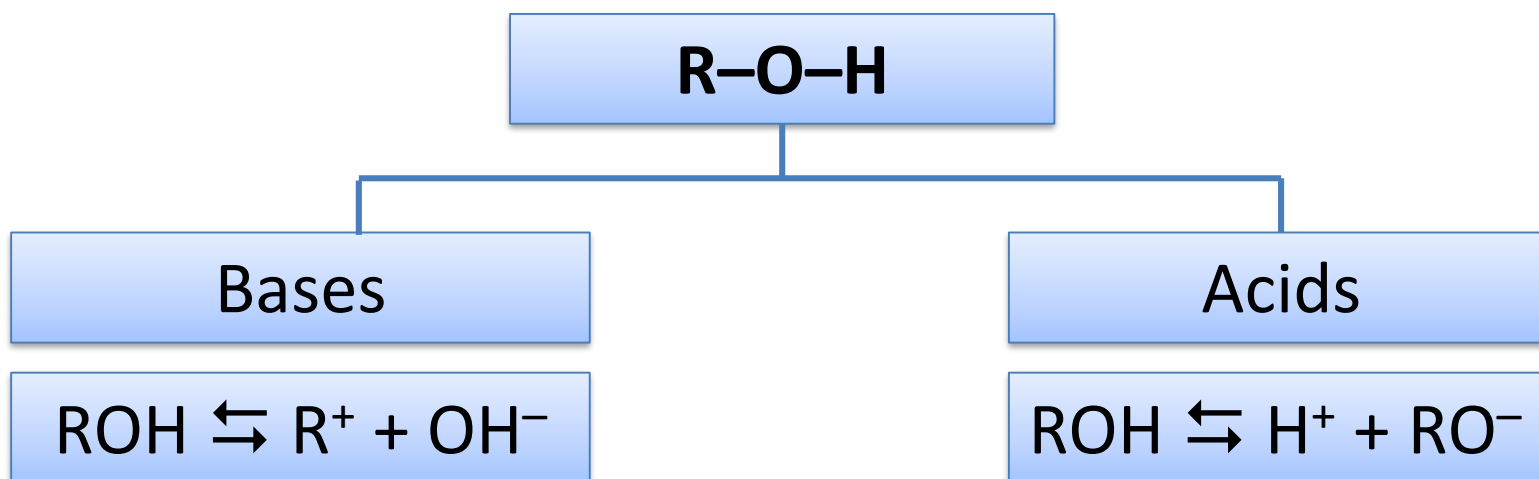
Polymeric oxides:



Peroxides are complex substances, consisting from two elements, one of which oxygen in the oxidation state of -1 .



Bases and acids dissociate differently depending on the nature of molecule bonds:



Bases

Bases are electrolytes, which dissociate in aqueous solution with the formation OH^- .

The acidity of the base is the number of $-\text{OH}$ groups formed during dissociation.

Bases are divided:

Monoacidic bases

NaOH – sodium hydroxide, KOH – potassium hydroxide

Diacidic bases

$\text{Ba}(\text{OH})_2$ – barium hydroxide, $\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_2$ – iron (II) hydroxide

Triacidic bases

$\text{Al}(\text{OH})_3$ – aluminium hydroxide, $\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_3$ – iron (III) hydroxide

Alkalis are bases good soluble in water:

LiOH , NaOH , KOH , RbOH , CsOH , $\text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2$, $\text{Sr}(\text{OH})_2$, $\text{Ba}(\text{OH})_2$.

Acids

Acids are electrolytes, which dissociate in aqueous solution to form H^+ and acid residue.

Binary Acids

They are named by a combination of the prefix “*hydro*” and nonmetal name modified to have an “ic” ending.

HF *hydrofluoric acid*

HCl *hydrochloric acid*

HBr *hydrobromic acid*

HI *hydroiodic acid*

H_2S *hydrosulphuric acid*

Oxoacids

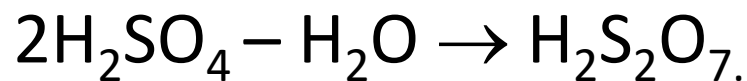
Formula of acid	Name of acid	Formula of salt	Name of salt
H_2SO_4	sulphuric acid	Na_2SO_4	sodium sulphate
H_2SO_3	sulphurous acid	$\text{Al}_2(\text{SO}_3)_3$	aluminium sulphite
H_2S	hydrosulphuric	$(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{S}$	ammonium sulphide
HNO_3	nitric acid	$\text{Ba}(\text{NO}_3)_2$	barium nitrate
HNO_2	nitrous acid	$\text{Fe}(\text{NO}_2)_2$	iron(II) nitrite
H_2CO_3	carbonic acid	CaCO_3	calcium carbonate
H_3PO_4	(ortho) phosphoric acid	Na_3PO_4	sodium phosphate
H_3BO_3	(ortho) boric acid	Na_3BO_3	sodium orthoborate
HBO_2	(meta) boric acid	NaBO_2	sodium metaborate
HClO_4	perchloric acid	NH_4ClO_4	ammonium perchlorate
HClO_3	chloric acid	NaClO_3	sodium chlorate
HClO_2	chlorous acid	KClO_2	potassium chlorite
HClO	hypochlorous acid	NaClO	sodium hypochlorite
HCl	hydrochloric acid	CuCl_2	copper(II) chloride

Note: An **ortho acid** is an oxoacid containing the maximum number of OH groups possible.

A **meta acid** is formed by the elimination of H₂O from the ortho acid.



When 2H₂SO₄ less one H₂O then forms poly-form which is called **disulphuric acid**:



By the number of hydrogen cations acids are divided into: monoprotic, diprotic and triprotic.

Monoprotic acids

HCl – hydrochloric acid

CH₃COOH – acetic acid

HCN – hydrocyanic acid

Diprotic acids

H₂SO₄ – sulphuric acid

H₂CO₃ – carbonic acid

H₂CrO₄ – chromic acid

H₂Cr₂O₇ – dichromic acid

Triprotic acids

H₃PO₄ – phosphoric acid

H₃AsO₄ – ortho arsenic acid

H₃AsO₃ – ortho arsenous acid

Salts

Salts are electrolytes which dissociate by cations of metal and anions of the acidic moiety.

Salts are ionic compounds in which hydrogen atoms of acids are replaced by metal ions.

All the salts divided into three parts: **neutral**, **acidic** and **basic**.

The **neutral salts** are product of complete replacement of hydrogen atoms of acids by the metal or ammonium ion (NH_4^+).

Acidic salts are product of partial replacement of hydrogen atoms of polyprotic acids by metal.

Basic salts are product of partial replacement of the hydroxyl group of polyacidic base by acidic moiety.

Salts

Means	Acidic	Basic
$\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ sodium sulphate	$\text{H}_2\text{CO}_3 \rightarrow \text{NaHCO}_3$ sodium hydrogen carbonate	$\text{Al}(\text{OH})_3 \rightarrow \text{AlOHCl}_2$ aluminium hydroxo chloride
$\text{H}_2\text{CO}_3 \rightarrow \text{CaCO}_3$ calcium carbonate	$\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4 \rightarrow \text{Na}_2\text{HPO}_4$ sodium hydrogen phosphate	$\text{Cu}(\text{OH})_2 \rightarrow (\text{CuOH})_2\text{CO}_3$ copper hydroxo carbonate
$\text{H}_2\text{CrO}_4 \rightarrow \text{Fe}_2(\text{CrO}_4)_3$ iron (III) chromate	$\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4 \rightarrow \text{Ca}(\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4)_2$ calcium dihydrogen phosphate	

Anion Cation	Bromide Br⁻	Hydrogen Carbonate HCO₃⁻	Acetate CH₃COO⁻	Phosphate PO₄³⁻	Nitrate NO₃⁻
Hydrogen, H ⁺	HBr	H ₂ CO ₃	CH ₃ COOH	H ₃ PO ₄	HNO ₃
Ammonium, NH ₄ ⁺	NH ₄ Br	NH ₄ HCO ₃	CH ₃ COONH ₄	(NH ₄) ₃ PO ₄	NH ₄ NO ₃
Calcium, Ca ²⁺	CaBr ₂	Ca(HCO ₃) ₂	Ca(CH ₃ COO) ₂	Ca ₃ (PO ₄) ₂	Ca(NO ₃) ₂
Aluminum, Al ³⁺	AlBr ₃	Al(HCO ₃) ₃	Al(CH ₃ COO) ₃	AlPO ₄	Al(NO ₃) ₃
Sodium, Na ⁺	NaBr	NaHCO ₃	CH ₃ COONa	Na ₃ PO ₄	NaNO ₃
Iron (III) , Fe ³⁺	FeBr ₃	Fe(HCO ₃) ₃	Fe(CH ₃ COO) ₃	FePO ₄	Fe(NO ₃) ₃
Nickel (II), Ni ²⁺	NiBr ₂	Ni(HCO ₃) ₂	Ni(CH ₃ COO) ₂	Ni ₃ (PO ₄) ₂	Ni(NO ₃) ₂
Silver, Ag ⁺	AgBr	AgHCO ₃	CH ₃ COOAg	Ag ₃ PO ₄	AgNO ₃