

## Chapter 6 The Periodic Table

The how and why

### History

- ◆ **1829 German J. W. Dobereiner**  
**Grouped elements into triads**
  - Three elements with similar properties
  - Properties followed a pattern
  - The same element was in the middle of all trends
- ◆ **Not all elements had triads**

### History

- ◆ **Russian scientist Dmitri Mendeleev**  
**taught chemistry in terms of properties**
- ◆ **Mid 1800 – atomic masses of elements were known**
- ◆ **Wrote down the elements in order of increasing mass**
- ◆ **Found a pattern of repeating properties**

### Mendeleev's Table

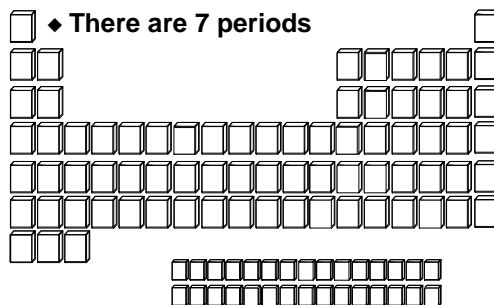
- ◆ **Grouped elements in columns by similar properties in order of increasing atomic mass**
- ◆ **Found some inconsistencies - felt that the properties were more important than the mass, so switched order.**
- ◆ **Found some gaps**
- ◆ **Must be undiscovered elements**
- ◆ **Predicted their properties before they were found**

### The Modern Table

- ◆ **Elements are still grouped by properties**
- ◆ **Similar properties are in the same column**
- ◆ **Order is in increasing atomic number**
- ◆ **Added a column of elements Mendeleev didn't know about.**
- ◆ **The noble gases weren't found because they didn't react with anything.**

◆ **Horizontal rows are called periods**

◆ **There are 7 periods**



- ◆ Vertical columns are called groups.
- ◆ Elements are placed in columns by similar properties.
- ◆ Also called families

- ◆ The elements in the A groups are called the representative elements

### Other Systems

### Metals

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- Luster – shiny.
- Ductile – drawn into wires.
- Malleable – hammered into sheets.
- Conductors of heat and electricity.

### Transition metals

- The Group B elements

**Non-metals**

- Dull
- Brittle
- Nonconductors - insulators

**Metalloids or Semimetals**

- Properties of both
- Semiconductors

◆ These are called the inner transition elements and they belong here

◆ Group 1A are the alkali metals

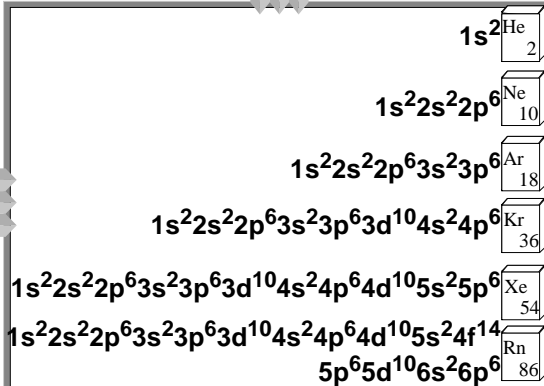
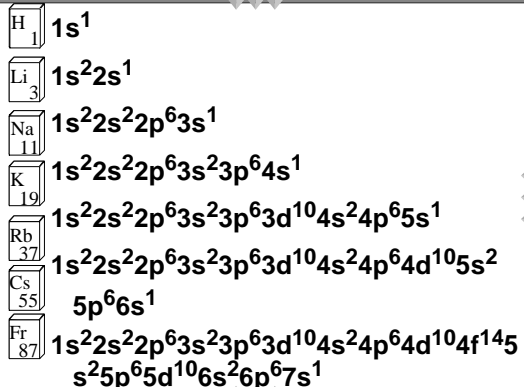
◆ Group 2A are the alkaline earth metals

◆ Group 7A is called the Halogens

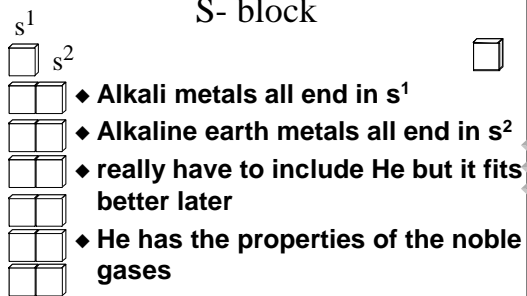
◆ Group 8A are the noble gases

## Why?

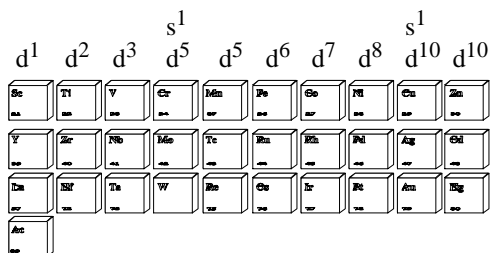
- ◆ The part of the atom another atom sees is the electron cloud.
- ◆ More importantly the outside orbitals
- ◆ The orbitals fill up in a regular pattern
- ◆ The outside orbital electron configuration repeats
- ◆ So.. the properties of atoms repeat.



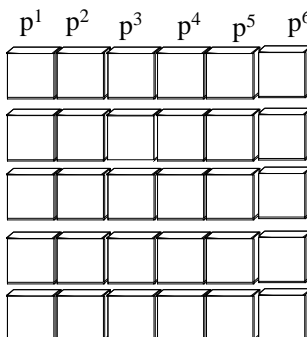
## S- block



## Transition Metals -d block



## The P-block



**F - block**

◆ inner transition elements

f<sup>1</sup> f<sup>2</sup> f<sup>3</sup> f<sup>4</sup> f<sup>5</sup> f<sup>6</sup> f<sup>7</sup> f<sup>8</sup> f<sup>9</sup> f<sup>10</sup> f<sup>11</sup> f<sup>12</sup> f<sup>13</sup> f<sup>14</sup>

◆ Each row (or period) is the energy level for s and p orbitals

◆ d orbitals fill up after previous energy level so first d is 3d even though it's in row 4

◆ f orbitals start filling at 4f

**Writing Electron configurations the easy way**

Yes there is a shorthand

Electron Configurations repeat

- ◆ The shape of the periodic table is a representation of this repetition.
- ◆ When we get to the end of the row the outermost energy level is full.
- ◆ This is the basis for our shorthand

### The Shorthand

- ◆ Write the symbol of the noble gas before the element in brackets [ ]
- ◆ Then the rest of the electrons.
- ◆ Aluminum - full configuration
- ◆  $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^1$
- ◆ Ne is  $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6$
- ◆ so Al is  $[\text{Ne}] 3s^2 3p^1$

### More examples

- ◆  $\text{Ge} = 1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 3d^{10} 4s^2 4p^2$
- ◆  $\text{Ge} = [\text{Ar}] 4s^2 3d^{10} 4p^2$
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- ◆  $\text{Hf} = 1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 4s^2 3d^{10} 4p^6 4f^{14} 4d^{10} 5s^2 5p^6 5d^2 6s^2$
- ◆  $\text{Hf} = [\text{Xe}] 6s^2 4f^{14} 5d^2$
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### The Shorthand

Sn- 50 electrons

The noble gas before it is Kr

Takes care of 36

Next  $5s^2$

Then  $4d^{10}$

Finally  $5p^2$

$[\text{Kr}] 5s^2 4d^{10} 5p^2$

### Practice

- ◆ Write the shorthand configuration for
- ◆ S
- ◆ Mn
- ◆ Mo
- ◆ W

### Electron configurations and groups

- ◆ Representative elements have s and p orbitals as last filled
  - Group number = number of electrons in highest energy level
- ◆ Transition metals- d orbitals
- ◆ Inner transition- f orbitals
- ◆ Noble gases s and p orbitals full

### Part 3 Periodic trends

Identifying the patterns

### What we will investigate

- ◆ **Atomic size**
  - how big the atoms are
- ◆ **Ionization energy**
  - How much energy to remove an electron
- ◆ **Electronegativity**
  - The attraction for the electron in a compound
- ◆ **Ionic size**
  - How big ions are

### What we will look for

- ◆ **Periodic trends-**
  - How those 4 things vary as you go across a period
- ◆ **Group trends**
  - How those 4 things vary as you go down a group
- ◆ **Why?**
  - Explain why they vary

### The why first

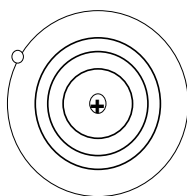
- ◆ **The positive nucleus pulls on electrons**
- ◆ **Periodic trends – as you go across a period**
  - The charge on the nucleus gets bigger
  - The outermost electrons are in the same energy level
  - So the outermost electrons are pulled stronger

### The why first

- ◆ **The positive nucleus pulls on electrons**
- ◆ **Group Trends**
  - As you go down a group
    - You add energy levels
    - Outermost electrons not as attracted by the nucleus

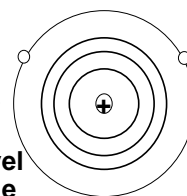
### Shielding

- ◆ **The electron on the outside energy level has to look through all the other energy levels to see the nucleus**



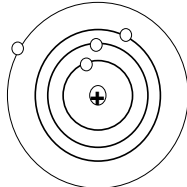
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- ◆ **The electron on the outside energy level has to look through all the other energy levels to see the nucleus**
- ◆ **A second electron has the same shielding**
- ◆ **In the same energy level (period) shielding is the same**



### Shielding

- ◆ As the energy levels changes the shielding changes
- ◆ Lower down the group
  - More energy levels
  - More shielding
  - Outer electron less attracted

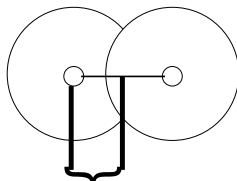


The shielding

### Atomic Size

- ◆ First problem where do you start measuring
- ◆ The electron cloud doesn't have a definite edge.
- ◆ They get around this by measuring more than 1 atom at a time

### Atomic Size



Radius

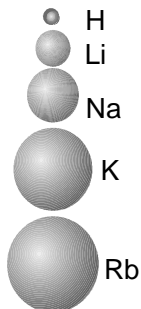
- ◆ Atomic Radius = half the distance between two nuclei of molecule

### Trends in Atomic Size

- ◆ Influenced by two factors
- ◆ Energy Level
- ◆ Higher energy level is further away
- ◆ Charge on nucleus
- ◆ More charge pulls electrons in closer

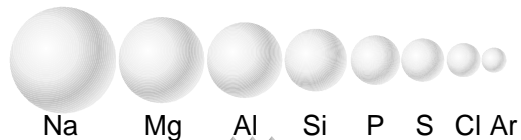
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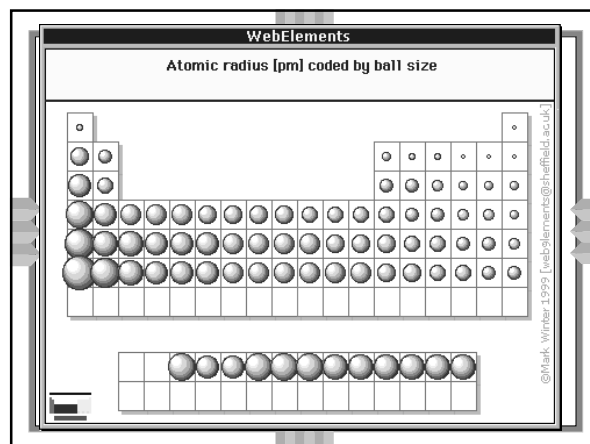
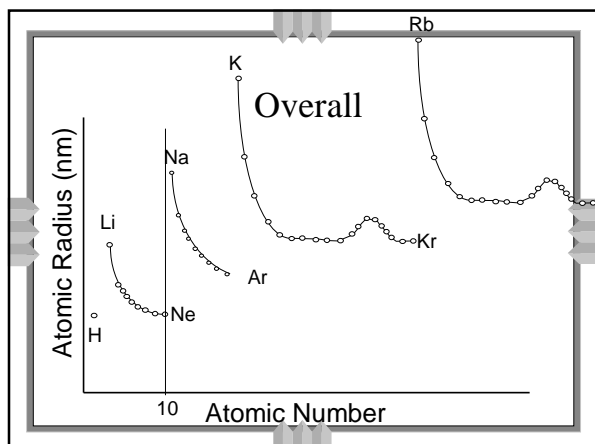
- ◆ As we go down a group
- ◆ Each atom has another energy level
- ◆ More shielding
- ◆ So the atoms get bigger



### Periodic Trends

- ◆ As you go across a period the radius gets smaller.
- ◆ Same shielding and energy level
- ◆ More nuclear charge
- ◆ Pulls outermost electrons closer





### Ionization Energy

- ◆ The amount of energy required to completely remove an electron from a gaseous atom.
- ◆ Removing one electron makes a +1 ion
- ◆ The energy required is called the first ionization energy

### Ionization Energy

- ◆ The second ionization energy is the energy required to remove the second electron
- ◆ Always greater than first IE
- ◆ The third IE is the energy required to remove a third electron
- ◆ Greater than 1st or 2nd IE

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H	1312		
He	2731	5247	
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B	800	2430	3569
C	1086	2352	4619
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### What determines IE

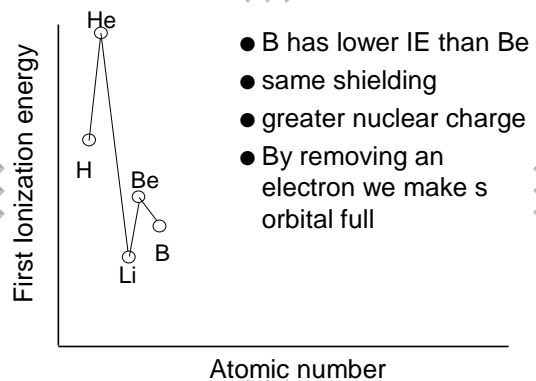
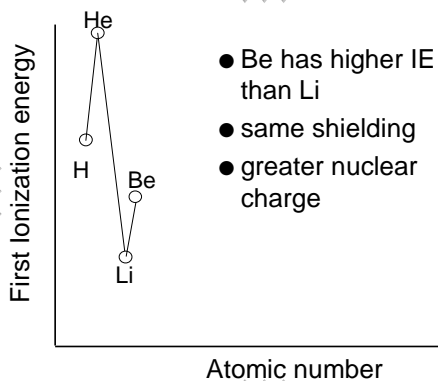
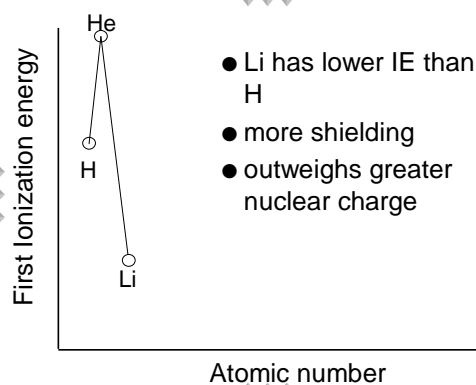
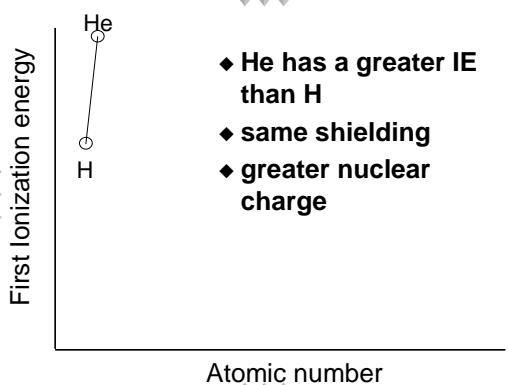
- ◆ The greater the nuclear charge the greater IE.
- ◆ Increased shielding decreases IE
- ◆ Filled and half filled orbitals have lower energy, so achieving them is easier, lower IE

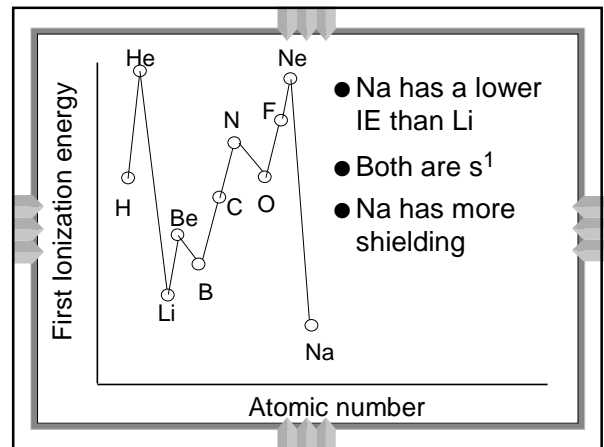
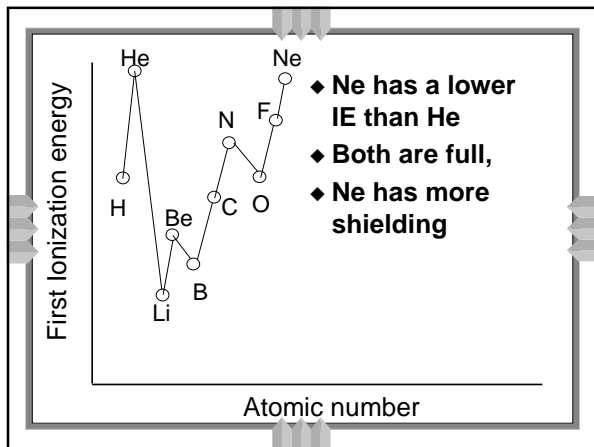
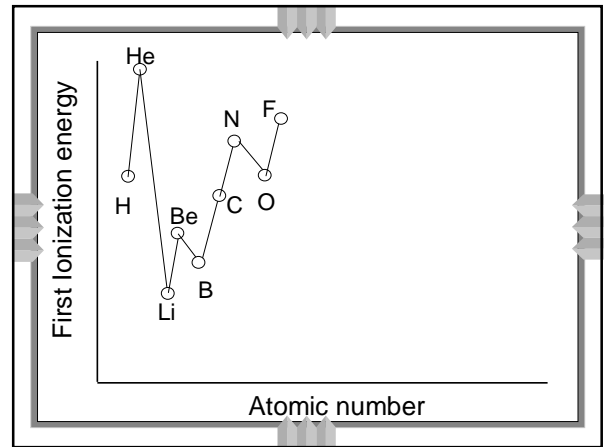
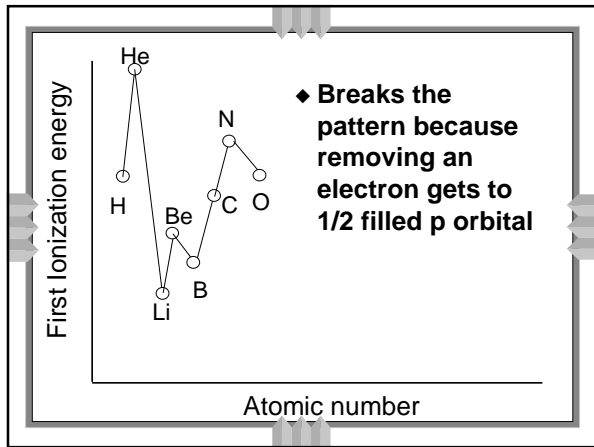
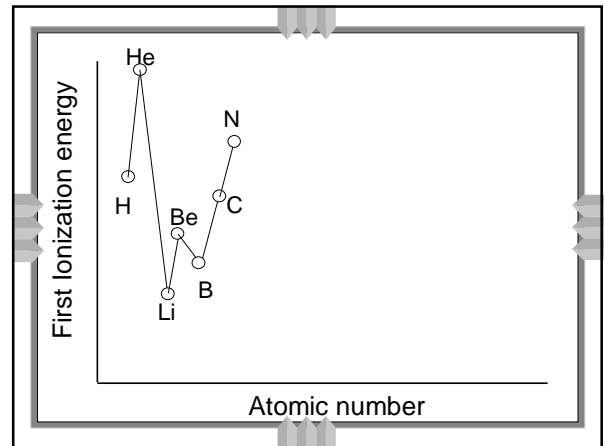
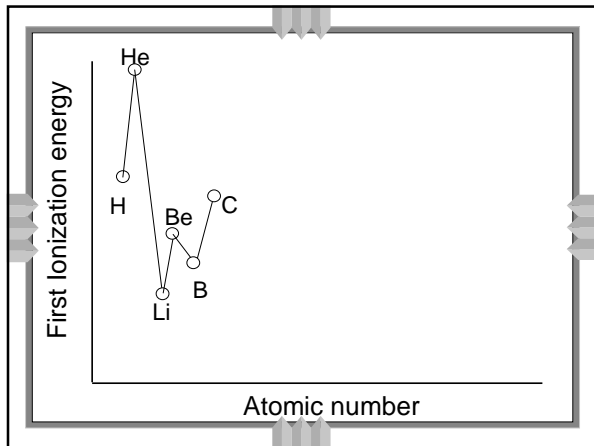
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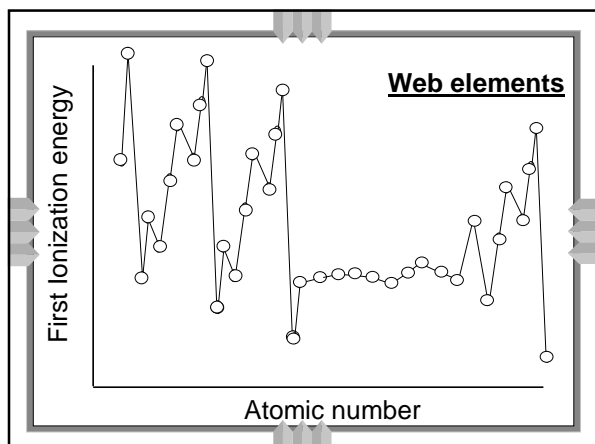
- ◆ As you go down a group first IE decreases because of
- ◆ More shielding
- ◆ So outer electron less attracted

### Periodic trends

- ◆ All the atoms in the same period
  - Same shielding.
  - Increasing nuclear charge
- ◆ So IE generally increases from left to right.
- ◆ Exceptions at full and 1/2 full orbitals







### Driving Force

- ◆ Full Energy Levels are very low energy
- ◆ Noble Gases have full orbitals
- ◆ Atoms behave in ways to achieve noble gas configuration

### 2nd Ionization Energy

- ◆ For elements that reach a filled or half-full orbital by removing 2 electrons 2nd IE is lower than expected
- ◆ True for  $s^2$
- ◆ Alkali earth metals form 2+ ions

### 3rd IE

- ◆ Using the same logic  $s^2p^1$  atoms have a low 3rd IE
- ◆ Atoms in the boron family form 3+ ions
- ◆ 2nd IE and 3rd IE are always higher than 1st IE!!!

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- ◆ Cations are positive ions
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### Ionic size

- ◆ Anions are negative ions
- ◆ Anions form by gaining electrons
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- ◆ Nonmetals form anions
- ◆ Anions of representative elements have noble gas configuration.

### Configuration of Ions

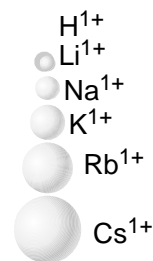
- ◆ Ions of representative elements have noble gas configuration
- ◆ Na is  $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^1$
- ◆ Forms a  $1+$  ion -  $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6$
- ◆ Same configuration as neon
- ◆ Metals form ions with the configuration of the noble gas before them - they lose electrons

### Configuration of Ions

- ◆ Non-metals form ions by gaining electrons to achieve noble gas configuration.
- ◆ They end up with the configuration of the noble gas after them.

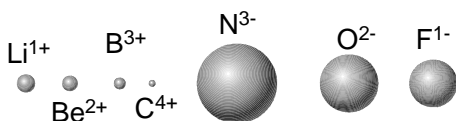
### Group trends

- ◆ Adding energy level
- ◆ Ions get bigger as you go down



### Periodic Trends

- ◆ Across the period nuclear charge increases so they get smaller.
- ◆ Energy level changes between anions and cations



### Size of Isoelectronic ions

- ◆ Iso - same
- ◆ Iso electronic ions have the same # of electrons
- ◆  $Al^{3+}$   $Mg^{2+}$   $Na^{1+}$   $Ne$   $F^{1-}$   $O^{2-}$  and  $N^{3-}$
- ◆ all have 10 electrons
- ◆ all have the configuration  $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6$

### Size of Isoelectronic ions

- ◆ Positive ions have more protons so they are smaller

Al<sup>+3</sup> Mg<sup>+2</sup> Na<sup>+1</sup> Ne F<sup>-1</sup> O<sup>-2</sup> N<sup>-3</sup>

### Electronegativity

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- ◆ The tendency for an atom to attract electrons to itself when it is chemically combined with another element.
- ◆ How “greedy”
- ◆ Big electronegativity means it pulls the electron toward it.

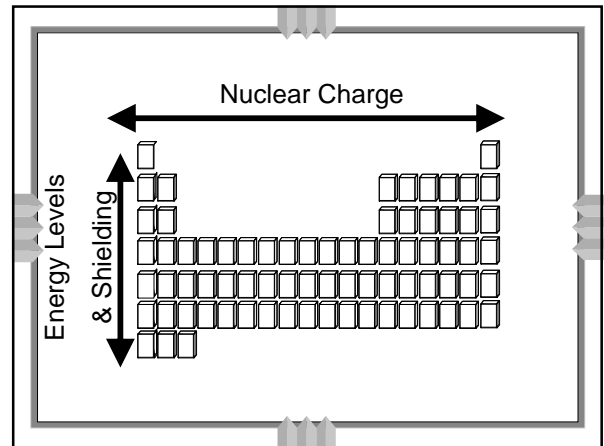
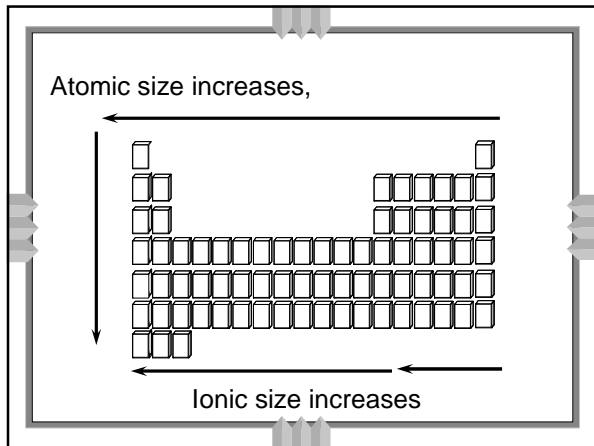
### Group Trend

- ◆ The further down a group
  - More shielding
  - more electrons an atom has.
- ◆ Less attraction for electrons
- ◆ Low electronegativity.

### Periodic Trend

- ◆ Metals - left end
- ◆ Low nuclear charge
- ◆ Low attraction
- ◆ Low electronegativity
- ◆ Right end - nonmetals
- ◆ High nuclear charge
- ◆ Large attraction
- ◆ High electronegativity
- ◆ Not noble gases- no compounds

Ionization energy, electronegativity  
INCREASE



- ### How to answer why questions
- ◆ **Trend**
    - Periodic
    - Group
  - ◆ **Reason**
    - Nuclear charge
    - Energy level and shielding
  - ◆ **Result**
    - What happens to which electron

