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**PHYSICAL SCIENCE**

**0652/03**

Paper 3 (Extended)

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**1 hour 15 minutes**

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

No Additional Materials are required.

**READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST**

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name on all the work you hand in.

Write in dark blue or black pen.

You may use a soft pencil for any diagrams, graphs, tables or rough working.

Do not use staples, paper clips, highlighters, glue or correction fluid.

**DO NOT WRITE IN ANY BARCODES.**

Answer **all** questions.

A copy of the Periodic Table is printed on page 16.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.

The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.

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- 1 (a) A fisherman is steering his boat using a single oar as shown in Fig. 1.1a. Fig. 1.1b shows the same boat viewed from above. To keep the oar stationary the fisherman applies a force of 250 N to the end of the oar.



Fig. 1a

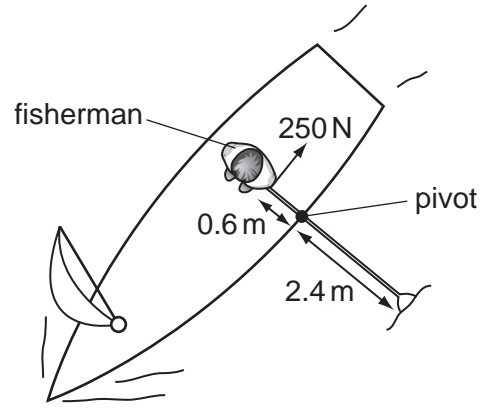


Fig. 1b

Calculate the force the oar produces on the water.

Show your working.

force = ..... [4]

- (b) The boat moves through the water at a steady speed of 2.5 m/s for 12 s. It then decelerates to rest at a uniform rate in a further 8.0 s.

- (i) On Fig. 1.2 draw a speed-time graph to show this motion.

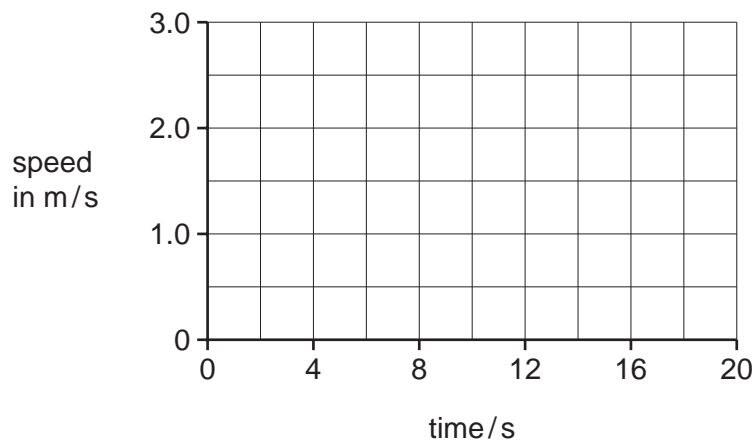


Fig. 1.2

[2]

- (ii) Calculate the deceleration of the boat.

Show your working.

deceleration = ..... [2]

- (iii) Calculate the total distance travelled by the boat.

Show your working.

distance travelled = ..... [2]

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- 2 The elements in each group of the Periodic Table show trends in chemical and physical properties.

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(a) Lithium, sodium and potassium are the first three elements in Group I.

- (i) Describe the reaction of each element with water to show the trend in the chemical properties of these three elements.

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 .....  
 ..... [3]

- (ii) Lithium reacts with water to produce lithium hydroxide and hydrogen.

Write a balanced symbol equation for the reaction of lithium with water.

..... [2]

(b) Table 2.1 shows information about three elements in Group II.

**Table 2.1**

element	atomic number	relative atomic mass	electron arrangement	density in g/cm <sup>3</sup>	melting point in °C
beryllium	4	9	2,2	1.85	1278
magnesium	12	24	2,8,2	1.74	649
calcium	20	40	2,8,8,2	1.54	839

- (i) Explain how information in Table 2.1 shows that these three elements are in the same group of the Periodic Table.

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 ..... [2]

(ii) The elements in Group II show a trend in physical properties.

Use information from Table 2.1 to describe this trend.

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..... [2]

(iii) Magnesium reacts with chlorine to form magnesium chloride. This compound contains the ions  $Mg^{2+}$  and  $Cl^-$ .

What is the formula of magnesium chloride?

..... [1]

(iv) All of the metals in Group II conduct electricity.

Use ideas about metallic bonding to explain this fact.

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- 3 A solar power station is designed for use in desert countries.  
Fig. 3.1 shows the steps involved in the production of electricity.

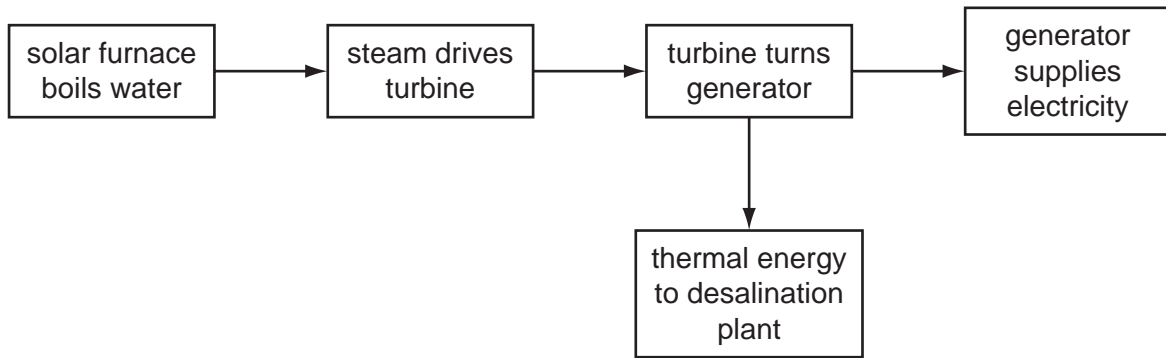


Fig. 3.1

- (a) A solar furnace consists of many mirrors. These mirrors are arranged so that sunlight is reflected onto a large container of water, as shown in Fig. 3.2.

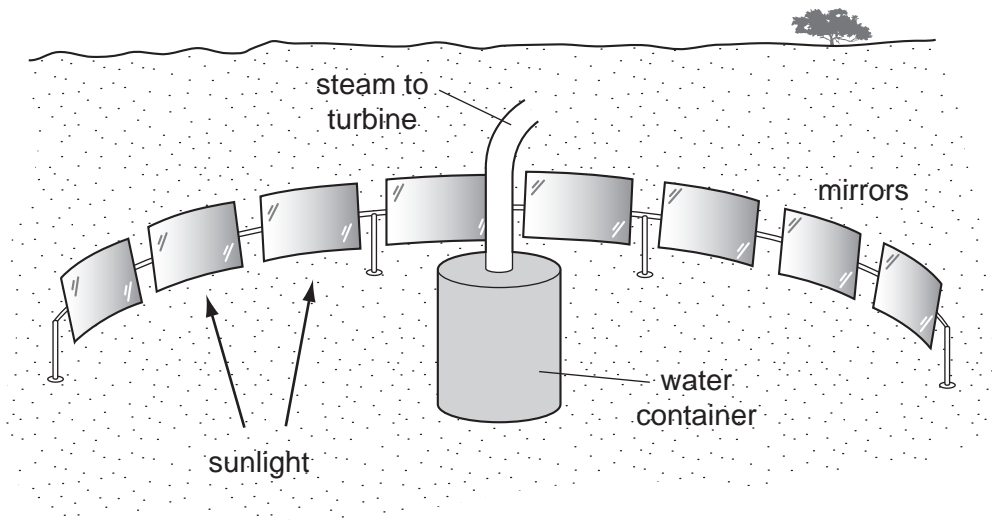


Fig. 3.2

- (i) Name the process by which the Sun's energy is transmitted to Earth.

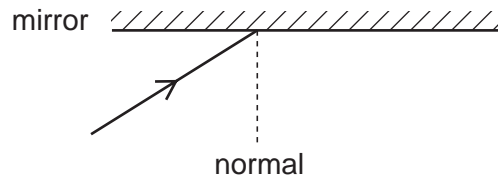
..... [1]

- (ii) State why the water container is painted black.

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 ..... [1]

(iii) Fig. 3.3 shows a ray of sunlight incident on a mirror.

Complete the diagram to show the ray after it is reflected from the mirror.



**Fig. 3.3**

[1]

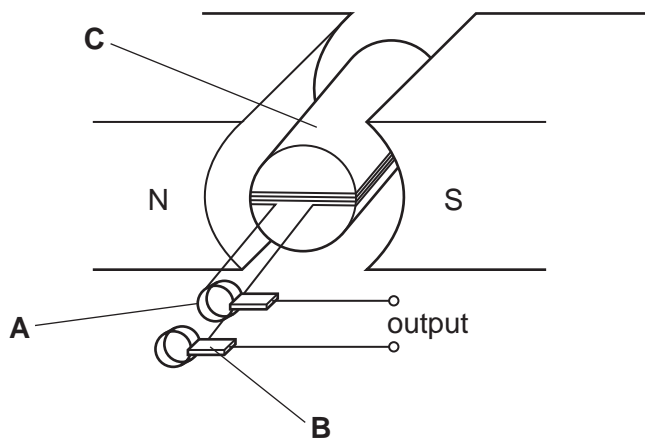
(b) (i) Name the process by which the energy passes through the wall of the water container.

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(ii) Explain why the water at the top of the water container is hotter than the water at the bottom of the container.

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 ..... [2]

(c) Fig. 3.4 shows the generator.



**Fig. 3.4**

(i) Name part **A** ..... [1]

(ii) Name part **B** ..... [1]

(iii) Name the material part C is made from, and explain why this material is used.

material .....

explanation .....

..... [2]

(d) (i) At the desalination plant thermal energy from the turbine is used to recover pure water from sea water.

Name the process by which pure water is recovered from sea water in this desalination plant.

..... [1]

(ii) Explain the advantage of combining the desalination plant with the power station.

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..... [1]



4 Petroleum contains hydrocarbon molecules with different chain lengths.

Long-chain hydrocarbons can be broken down into smaller more useful hydrocarbons.

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(a) (i) Name the process used to break long-chain hydrocarbons into smaller hydrocarbons.

..... [1]

(ii) State an essential condition used in this process and explain why this is used.

condition .....

explanation .....

..... [2]

(b) In this process an alkane,  $C_{15}H_{32}$ , is broken down.

Octane,  $C_8H_{18}$ , and the alkenes propene,  $C_3H_6$ , and ethene,  $C_2H_4$ , are formed.

(i) Write a balanced symbol equation for this reaction.

..... [1]

(ii) Describe a chemical test you could use to distinguish between octane and propene.

test .....

result for octane .....

result for propene ..... [3]

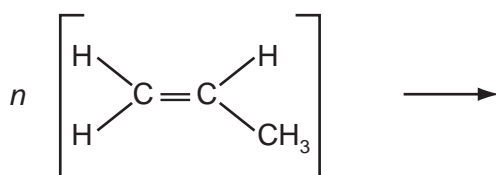
(iii) Ethene can be used to make poly(ethene).

State the name of this process.

..... [1]

(iv) Propene can be used to make poly(propene).

Complete this equation for the formation of poly(propene).



[2]

- 5 Fig. 5.1 shows a circuit diagram, with a battery of e.m.f. of 6.0 V and a resistance wire of length 0.5 m connected across **AB**. There is a current of 2.4 A in the circuit.

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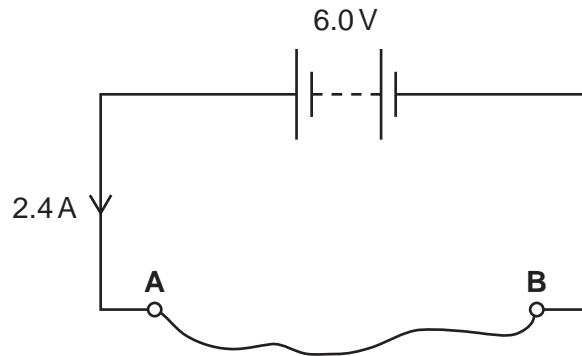


Fig. 5.1

- (a) Calculate the resistance of the resistance wire.

resistance = ..... [2]

- (b) Calculate the power output from the battery.

power = ..... [2]

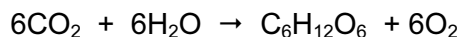
- (c) (i) The wire is replaced with a wire of the same material and the same diameter but of length 1.5 m.  
Calculate the resistance of this longer wire.

resistance = ..... [1]

- (ii) By making suitable calculations, compare the power output from the battery in (c)(i) with that in (b).

[3]

- 6 Green plants make glucose by the process of photosynthesis.



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- (a) From where does the plant obtain the energy needed for this process?

..... [1]

- (b) For each 20 g of glucose made by the plant, calculate

- (i) the mass of water used,

mass of water = .....g [3]

- (ii) the volume, at room temperature and pressure, of oxygen made.

(The volume of 1 mole of any gas is  $24 \text{ dm}^3$  at room temperature and pressure.)

volume of oxygen made = ..... unit ..... [3]

- 7 Fig. 7.1 shows the results of an experiment to measure the half-life of the isotope phosphorus-34.

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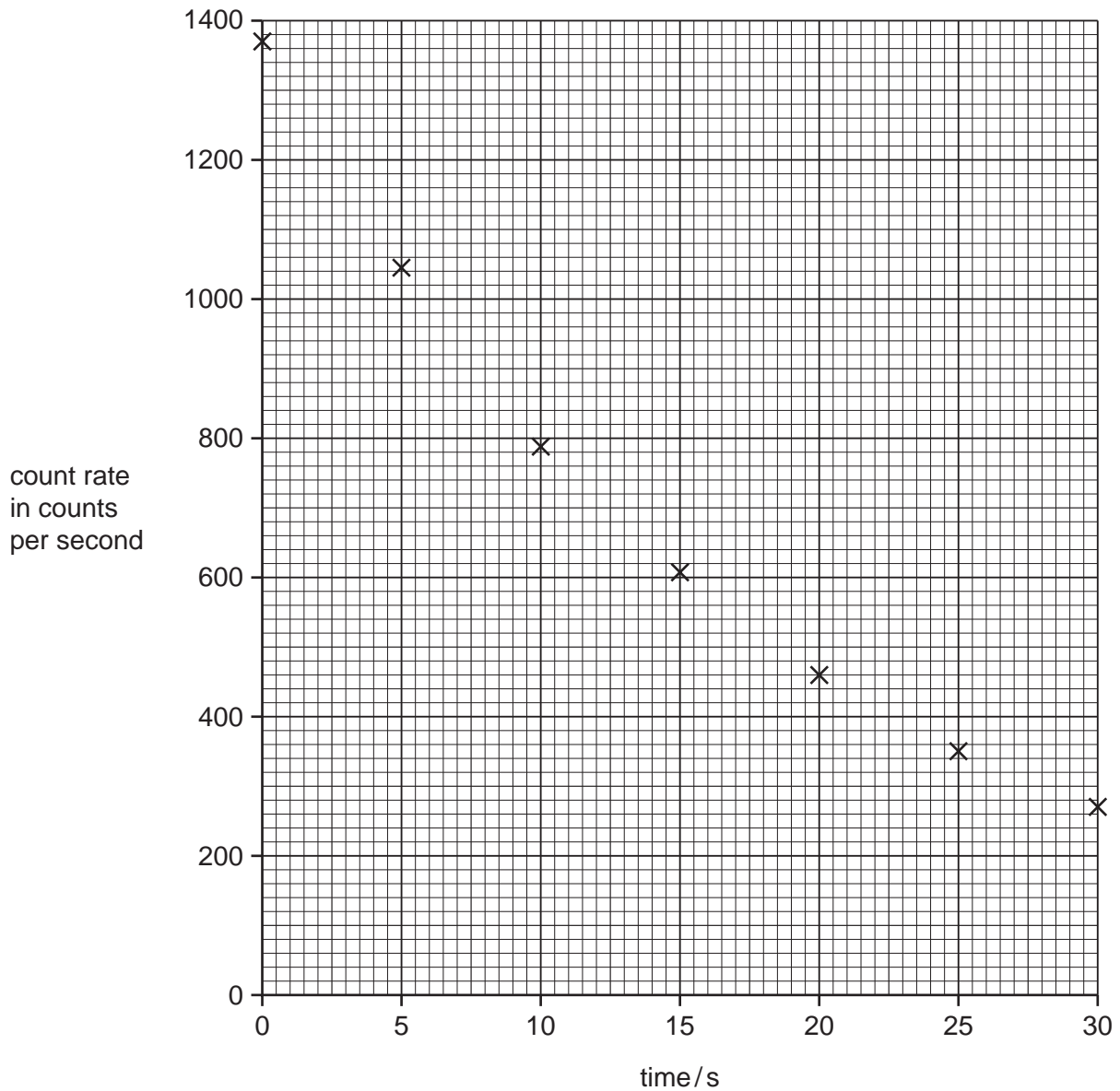


Fig. 7.1

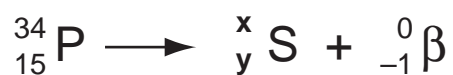
- (a) (i) Complete the graph by drawing the best-fit curve. [1]

- (ii) Use the graph to find the half-life of the isotope.

Show your working.

half-life = ..... s [2]

(b) Phosphorus-34 decays emitting a  $\beta$ -particle. The equation for this decay is:



- (i) Calculate the value of  $x$ . ..... [1]
- (ii) Calculate the value of  $y$ . ..... [1]

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Please turn over for Question 8.

8 Fig. 8.1 shows the arrangement of carbon atoms in diamond and graphite.

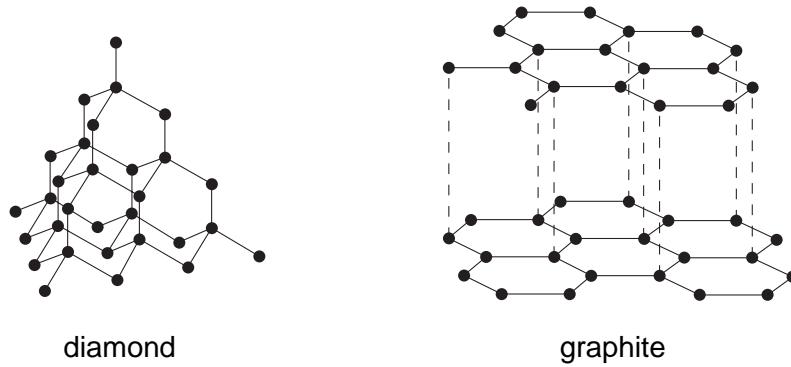


Fig. 8.1

(a) For each of the following properties, compare the two forms of carbon and relate the differences to their structures.

(i) melting point

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..... [3]

(ii) electrical conductivity

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..... [3]

(b) Graphite burns in oxygen to produce carbon dioxide.

(i) Name the type of bonding in carbon dioxide.

..... [1]

(ii) Draw a dot and cross diagram to show the arrangement of electrons in carbon dioxide.

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[3]

9 The Sun and other stars produce energy by nuclear fusion.

(a) Explain what is meant by the term nuclear fusion.

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.....  
..... [2]

(b) In a fusion reaction  $3.84 \times 10^{-29}$  kg of mass is released as energy.  
Calculate the energy released in the reaction.  
( $c = 3 \times 10^8$  m/s)

Show your working.

energy = ..... [3]

**DATA SHEET**  
**The Periodic Table of the Elements**

		Group															
I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	0										
1 <b>H</b> Hydrogen 1											2 <b>He</b> Helium 2						
3 <b>Li</b> Lithium 3	4 <b>Be</b> Beryllium 4	5 <b>B</b> Boron 5	6 <b>C</b> Carbon 6	7 <b>N</b> Nitrogen 7	8 <b>O</b> Oxygen 8	9 <b>F</b> Fluorine 9	10 <b>Ne</b> Neon 10	11 <b>B</b> Boron 5	12 <b>C</b> Carbon 6	13 <b>Al</b> Aluminium 13	14 <b>N</b> Nitrogen 7	15 <b>P</b> Phosphorus 15	16 <b>S</b> Sulfur 16	17 <b>Cl</b> Chlorine 17	18 <b>Ar</b> Argon 18		
19 <b>K</b> Potassium 19	20 <b>Ca</b> Calcium 20	21 <b>Sc</b> Scandium 21	22 <b>Ti</b> Titanium 22	23 <b>V</b> Vanadium 23	24 <b>Cr</b> Chromium 24	25 <b>Mn</b> Manganese 25	26 <b>Fe</b> Iron 26	27 <b>Co</b> Cobalt 27	28 <b>Ni</b> Nickel 28	29 <b>Cu</b> Copper 29	30 <b>Zn</b> Zinc 30	31 <b>Ga</b> Gallium 31	32 <b>Ge</b> Germanium 32	33 <b>As</b> Arsenic 33	34 <b>Se</b> Selenium 34	35 <b>Br</b> Bromine 35	36 <b>Kr</b> Krypton 36
37 <b>Rb</b> Rubidium 37	38 <b>Sr</b> Strontium 38	39 <b>Y</b> Yttrium 39	40 <b>Zr</b> Zirconium 40	41 <b>Nb</b> Niobium 41	42 <b>Mo</b> Molybdenum 42	43 <b>Tc</b> Technetium 43	44 <b>Ru</b> Ruthenium 44	45 <b>Rh</b> Rhodium 45	46 <b>Pd</b> Palladium 46	47 <b>Ag</b> Silver 47	48 <b>Cd</b> Cadmium 48	49 <b>In</b> Indium 49	50 <b>Sn</b> Tin 50	51 <b>Sb</b> Antimony 51	52 <b>Te</b> Tellurium 52	53 <b>I</b> Iodine 53	54 <b>Xe</b> Xenon 54
55 <b>Cs</b> Caesium 55	56 <b>Ba</b> Barium 56	57 <b>La</b> Lanthanum 57	72 <b>Hf</b> Hafnium 72	73 <b>Ta</b> Tantalum 73	74 <b>W</b> Tungsten 74	75 <b>Re</b> Rhenium 75	76 <b>Os</b> Osmium 76	77 <b>Ir</b> Iridium 77	78 <b>Pt</b> Platinum 78	79 <b>Au</b> Gold 79	80 <b>Hg</b> Mercury 80	81 <b>Tl</b> Thallium 81	82 <b>Pb</b> Lead 82	83 <b>Bi</b> Bismuth 83	84 <b>Po</b> Polonium 84	85 <b>At</b> Astatine 85	86 <b>Rn</b> Radon 86
87 <b>Fr</b> Francium 87	88 <b>Ra</b> Radium 88	89 <b>Ac</b> Actinium 89															

90 <b>Th</b> Thorium 90	91 <b>Pa</b> Protactinium 91	92 <b>U</b> Uranium 92	93 <b>Np</b> Neptunium 93	94 <b>Pu</b> Plutonium 94	95 <b>Am</b> Americium 95	96 <b>Cm</b> Curium 96	97 <b>Bk</b> Berkelium 97	98 <b>Cf</b> Californium 98	99 <b>Es</b> Einsteinium 99	100 <b>Fm</b> Fermium 100	101 <b>Md</b> Mendelevium 101	102 <b>No</b> Nobelium 102	103 <b>Lr</b> Lawrencium 103
140 <b>Ce</b> Cerium 58	141 <b>Pr</b> Praseodymium 59	142 <b>Nd</b> Neodymium 60	143 <b>Pm</b> Promethium 61	144 <b>Nd</b> Neodymium 60	145 <b>Eu</b> Europium 63	146 <b>Gd</b> Gadolinium 64	147 <b>Tb</b> Terbium 65	148 <b>Dy</b> Dysprosium 66	149 <b>Ho</b> Holmium 67	150 <b>Er</b> Erbium 68	151 <b>Tm</b> Thulium 69	152 <b>Yb</b> Ytterbium 70	153 <b>Lu</b> Lutetium 71

a	<b>X</b>
b	

Key

a = relative atomic mass  
**X** = atomic symbol  
b = proton (atomic) number

\* 58-71 Lanthanoid series  
† 90-103 Actinoid series

The volume of one mole of any gas is 24 dm<sup>3</sup> at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.).

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