

Periodic Table

Totally 118 elements.

Periodic table classification

Periods \Rightarrow Left to Right (horizontal rows)

Groups \Rightarrow top to bottom (vertical columns)

Blocks \Rightarrow a set of elements unified by the orbitals their valence e^- , (or) valencies lie in.

(based on e^- configuration, the Periodic table can be divided into blocks denoting which sublevel is in the process of being filled. (The S, P, d, f blocks)



Ionization energy:- is the minimum energy required to remove an e^- from an atom or ion in the gas phase kJ/mol or (eV).

\uparrow & Left to right across an element Pg
bez atomic radius decreases, So e^- are more attracted to the (closer) nucleus.

\downarrow from top to bottom, moving down a group a valence shell is added. Pg out most e^- are further from the nucleus, so they are easier. Furthermore

the higher the I.E. the more difficult it is to remove an e^- .

increases left to right (Period) \rightarrow (Row)
bcz atomic radius generally decreases
moving across a period, so there is a
greater effective attraction b/w the
negatively charged e^- & positively
charged nucleus.

top to bottom $I\cdot G \downarrow$

valence e^- added into one new shell.
nucleus - valence shell e^- distance \uparrow ,
so attractive force of the nucleus on
the valence shell is decreased, so,

$$1^{\text{st}} I\cdot G < 2^{\text{nd}} I\cdot G$$

1^{st} , 2^{nd} and subsequent $I\cdot G$

$I\cdot G$ = definition

$I\cdot G$ is that requires to remove the
next e^- and so on. The $2^{\text{nd}} I\cdot G$ is
always greater.

* Removing the first e^- is relatively easy
bcz its loss gives the atom a stable e^- shell.

* Removing the 2 e^- involves a new
electronic shell that is closer and more
tightly bound to the atomic nucleus.

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Exception.

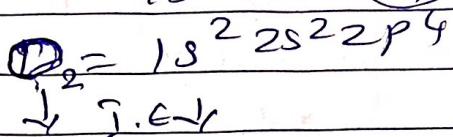
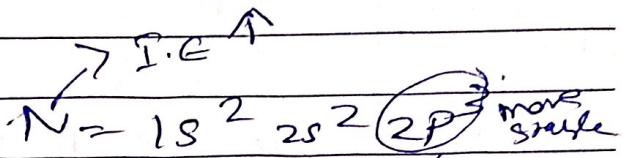
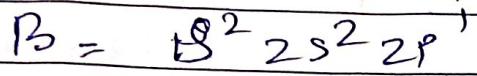
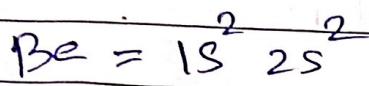
1 $I\cdot G$ of B is less than that of Be

2 $I\cdot G$ of O is less than that of N.

The reason for the discrepancy is due to the e⁻ configuration of these elements cross Hund's rule.

For Be I.I.E e⁻ comes from the 2s orbital, although ionization of boron involves a 2p e⁻

for both N & O the e⁻ comes from one 2p orbital



Electron affinity:- of a neutral atom or molecule is defined as the amount of energy released when an e⁻ is added to it to form a -ve ion.