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**WCH13/01**

**Chemistry**

**International Advanced Level**

**UNIT 3: Practical Skills in Chemistry I**

**You must have:**

Scientific calculator, ruler

Total Marks

## Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- If pencil is used for diagrams/sketches/graphs it must be dark (HB or B).
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided  
– *there may be more space than you need.*
- Show all your working in calculations and include units where appropriate.

## Information

- The total mark for this paper is 50.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets  
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*
- You will be assessed on your ability to organise and present information, ideas, descriptions and arguments clearly and logically, including your use of grammar, punctuation and spelling.
- A Periodic Table is printed on the back cover of this paper.

## Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Show all your working in calculations and include units where appropriate.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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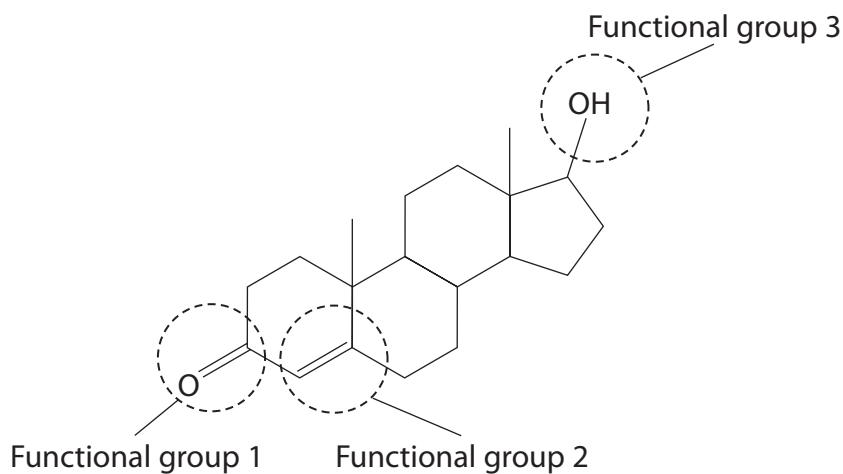
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Answer ALL the questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

1 This question is about the hormone testosterone, the structure of which is shown.



(a) Give the **name** of each of the three circled functional groups.

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Functional group 1

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Functional group 2

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Functional group 3

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(b) Describe a chemical test and the expected positive result for both functional group 2 and functional group 3.

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Functional group 2

Test

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Result

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Functional group 3

Test

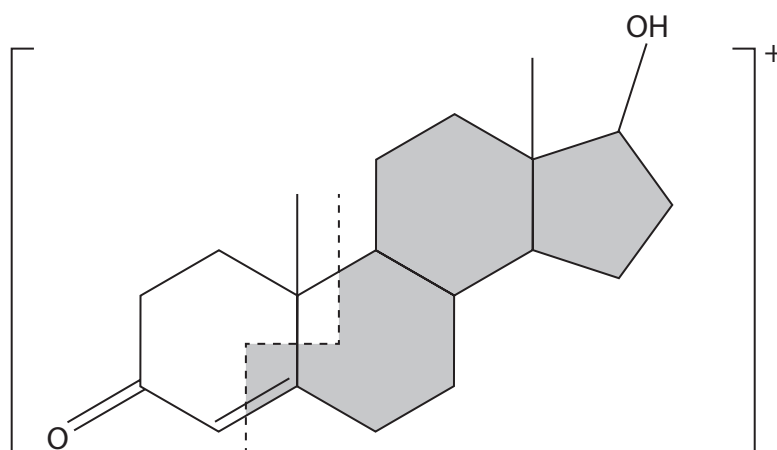
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Result

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- (c) In a mass spectrometer, the molecular ion formed can break apart into smaller fragments. One way the molecular ion can fragment is shown by the dashed line.



- (i) Deduce the  $m/z$  ratio of the fragment shown by the **unshaded** area, assuming it forms a singly charged ion.

(1)

- (ii) When molecular ions fragment, they form a smaller ion and another type of particle.

State the other type of particle formed.

(1)

(Total for Question 1 = 9 marks)



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- 2 An experiment was carried out to determine the concentration of citric acid in lemon juice using a titration.

Three students used the following procedure.

**Procedure**

Step 1 Add 24.0 g of lemon juice to a 250 cm<sup>3</sup> volumetric flask.

Step 2 Make up the volume of the lemon juice to 250 cm<sup>3</sup> using deionised water and mix thoroughly.

Step 3 Pipette 25.0 cm<sup>3</sup> of the diluted lemon juice into a conical flask and add a few drops of phenolphthalein indicator.

Step 4 Titrate the diluted lemon juice with standardised sodium hydroxide of concentration 0.103 mol dm<sup>-3</sup>.

Student **A** obtained the results shown.

Titration	Rough	1	2	3
Burette reading (final) / cm <sup>3</sup>	24.60	48.90	23.80	48.00
Burette reading (initial) / cm <sup>3</sup>	0.00	24.60	0.00	23.80
Titre / cm <sup>3</sup>	24.60	24.30	23.80	24.20

- (a) Draw a circle around the concordant results in the table. (1)
- (b) Calculate the mean titre, using your answer from (a). (1)
- (c) The equation for the reaction between citric acid and sodium hydroxide solution is shown.
- $$\text{C}_6\text{H}_8\text{O}_7(\text{aq}) + 3\text{NaOH}(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{Na}_3\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{O}_7(\text{aq}) + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l})$$
- (i) State the colour change that occurs at the end-point of the titration. (1)



- (ii) Calculate the percentage by mass of citric acid in the lemon juice, using your mean titre from (b).  
Give your answer to **two** significant figures.

[Concentration of NaOH(aq) =  $0.103 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$        $M_r$  of citric acid = 192]

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(d) Suggest a possible reason why the value obtained in (c) is valid, even though lemon juice also contains some ascorbic acid and malic acid.

(1)

(e) Two other students, **B** and **C**, also followed the procedure to find the concentration of citric acid in similar samples of lemon juice.

(i) Student **B** added too much deionised water in Step 2.

State how Student **B** should correct this mistake.

(1)

(ii) Student **C** used sodium hydroxide solution labelled  $0.103 \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$  that had been made up several months ago and stored since then.

Explain what effect this would have on the mean titre, compared to Student **A**.

(2)

(Total for Question 2 = 12 marks)





- 3 Seaweeds absorb iodide compounds from seawater. If seaweeds are dried and heated strongly, iodine can be obtained from the ash produced.

**Procedure**

Step 1 Heat the dried seaweed strongly to burn off any organic material.

Step 2 Add the ash produced in Step 1 to 25 cm<sup>3</sup> of deionised water and boil for 5 minutes.

Step 3 Filter off the remaining solid, collecting the colourless filtrate containing iodide ions.

Step 4 Add 2 cm<sup>3</sup> of dilute sulfuric acid, followed by 10 cm<sup>3</sup> of '20 volume' hydrogen peroxide solution, H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>(aq).

Step 5 Extract the iodine formed in Step 4 using cyclohexane as the solvent.

Step 6 Allow the cyclohexane to evaporate to leave behind iodine crystals.

- (a) Suggest why the iodine-containing compounds do not burn off in Step 1.

(1)

- (b) '20 volume' hydrogen peroxide solution means that 1 dm<sup>3</sup> of the solution produces 20 dm<sup>3</sup> of oxygen gas when it decomposes completely.



Calculate the concentration of '20 volume' hydrogen peroxide solution in mol dm<sup>-3</sup>.

[Molar volume of a gas at room temperature and pressure (r.t.p.) = 24 dm<sup>3</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup>]

(2)



(c) In Step 4, the iodide ions in the filtrate are oxidised to form iodine. The reaction takes place under acidic conditions and the hydrogen peroxide is reduced to form a single product, water.

- (i) Write half-equations for each of these changes.  
State symbols are not required.

(2)

Oxidation of iodide ions:

Reduction of hydrogen peroxide under acidic conditions:

- (ii) Write the overall equation for the reaction between iodide ions and hydrogen peroxide solution under acidic conditions.  
State symbols are not required.

(1)

- (iii) State the colour of the aqueous iodine solution formed in Step 4.

(1)



(d) Describe how to carry out Step 5, using a separating funnel.

[Density of cyclohexane =  $0.78 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$ ]

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(e) The hazard symbols for cyclohexane are shown.



Symbol 1



Symbol 2



Symbol 3

(i) State what is meant by Symbol 3.

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(ii) Give **two** safety precautions that should be taken to reduce the risk in Step 5.

Assume eye protection, gloves and a laboratory coat are being worn.

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(Total for Question 3 = 14 marks)



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4 This question is about experiments involving ethanol.

- (a) Ethanol and water mix in all proportions. The percentage of ethanol by volume in ethanol-water mixtures can be found by comparing the density of the mixture to the densities of ethanol-water mixtures of known composition, at a constant temperature.

Percentage of ethanol in mixture	Density / $\text{g cm}^{-3}$
30	0.962
45	0.940
55	0.920
70	0.886
85	0.845
95	0.811

- (i) Calculate the density of an ethanol-water mixture, sample **A**,  $5.00 \text{ cm}^3$  of which has a mass of 4.75 g.

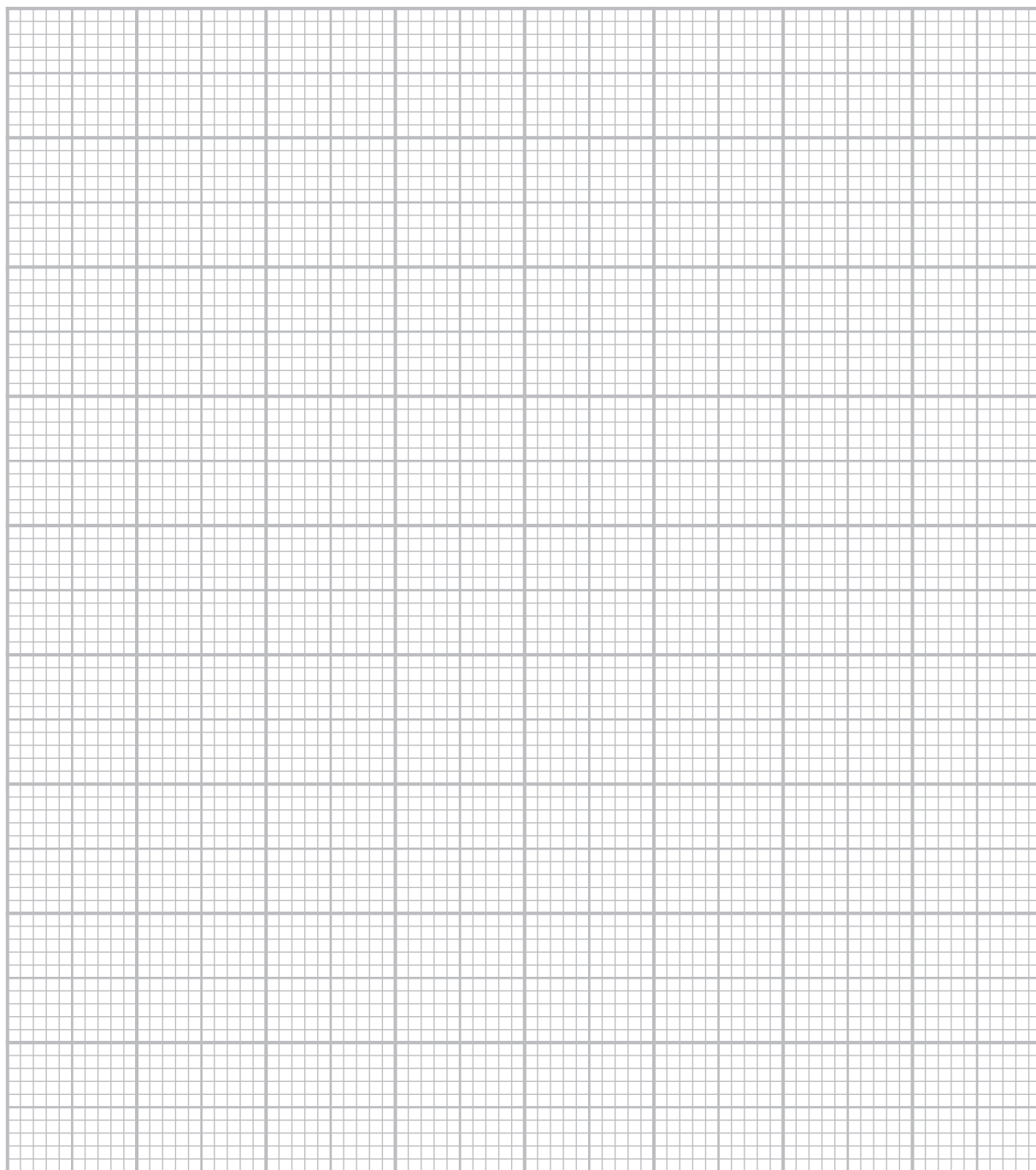
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(ii) Plot a graph of density against the percentage of ethanol by volume.

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Density  
/ g cm<sup>-3</sup>



percentage ethanol by volume

(iii) Determine the percentage of ethanol by volume in sample **A** using your answer to (a)(i) and the graph in (a)(ii). Show your working on the graph.

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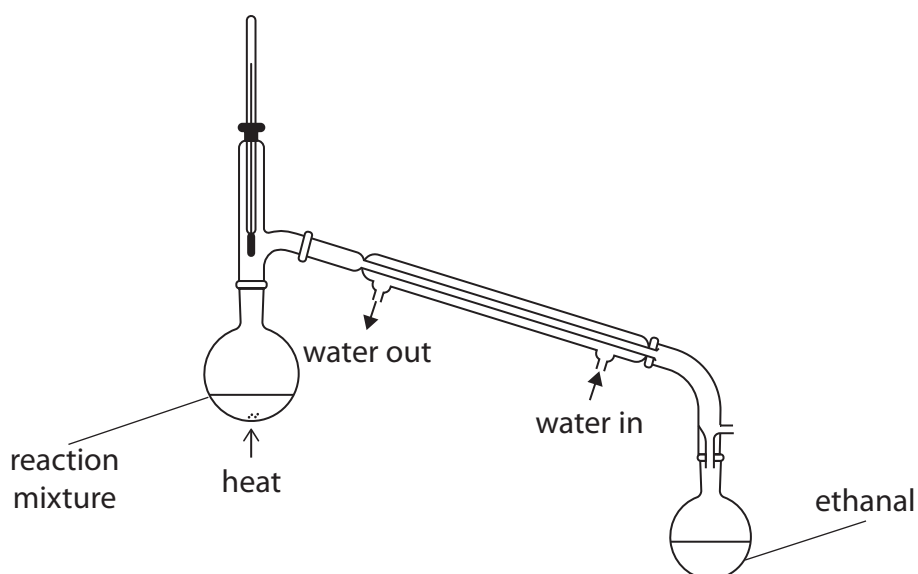
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- (b) Ethanal can be prepared by heating ethanol with acidified sodium dichromate(VI) in the apparatus shown.



- (i) Explain why the reaction mixture is heated as shown, instead of heating under reflux.

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- (ii) Explain why the water is passed through the condenser in the direction shown.

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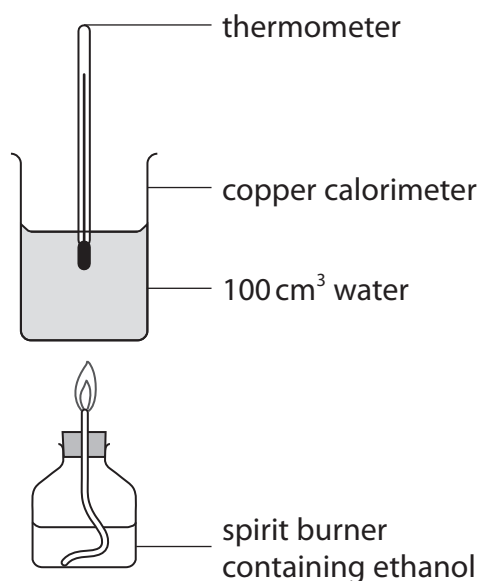
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(c) A student determined a value for the enthalpy change of combustion of ethanol, using the apparatus shown.



**Data**

$M_r$  of ethanol = 46.0

Density of water = 1.00 g cm<sup>-3</sup>

Specific heat capacity of water = 4.18 J g<sup>-1</sup> °C<sup>-1</sup>

Mass of ethanol burnt = 0.650 g

Temperature of water before heating = 20.0 °C

Temperature of water after heating = 57.9 °C

(i) Calculate the energy transferred to the water.

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(ii) Calculate the amount of ethanol burnt in moles.

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(iii) Calculate the enthalpy change of combustion of ethanol in  $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$ , using your answers to (c)(i) and (c)(ii).

Give your answer to an appropriate number of significant figures.

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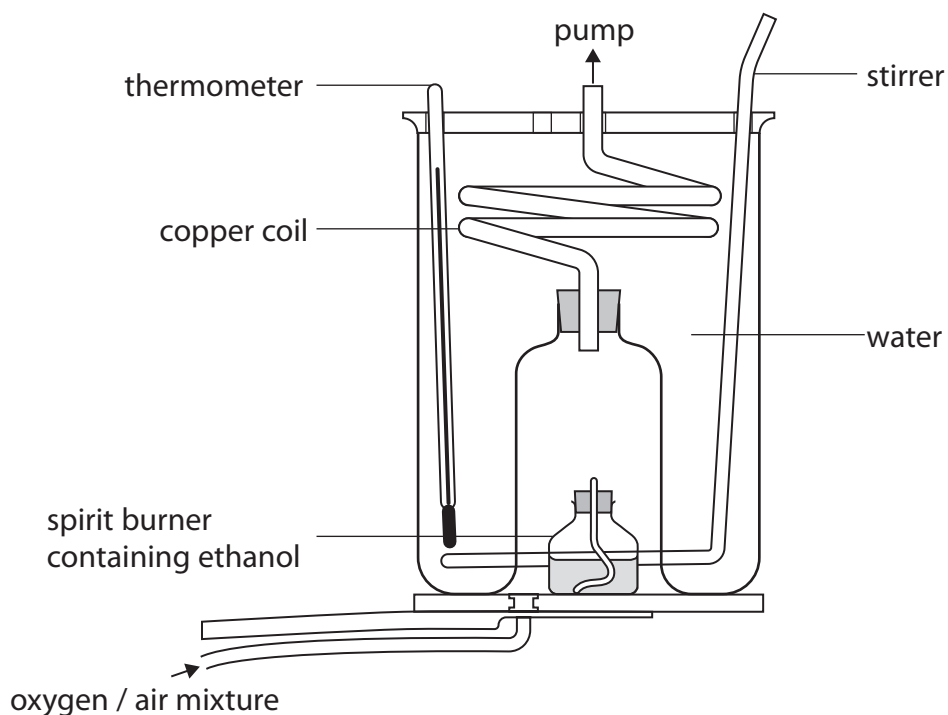


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(d) Whilst evaluating the method used in (c), the student found a diagram of an alternative apparatus as shown.



Explain two reasons why this apparatus is likely to give a more accurate value for the enthalpy change of combustion of ethanol.

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(Total for Question 4 = 15 marks)

TOTAL FOR PAPER = 50 MARKS



# The Periodic Table of Elements

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1.0	<b>H</b>	hydrogen	1
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## Key

relative atomic mass
<b>atomic symbol</b>
name
atomic (proton) number

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)
6.9 <b>Li</b> lithium 3	9.0 <b>Be</b> beryllium 4	45.0 <b>Sc</b> scandium 21	47.9 <b>Ti</b> titanium 22	50.9 <b>V</b> vanadium 23	52.0 <b>Cr</b> chromium 24	54.9 <b>Mn</b> manganese 25	55.8 <b>Fe</b> iron 26	58.9 <b>Co</b> cobalt 27	58.7 <b>Ni</b> nickel 28	63.5 <b>Cu</b> copper 29	65.4 <b>Zn</b> zinc 30	10.8 <b>B</b> boron 5	12.0 <b>C</b> carbon 6	14.0 <b>N</b> nitrogen 7	16.0 <b>O</b> oxygen 8	19.0 <b>F</b> fluorine 9	4.0 <b>He</b> helium 2
23.0 <b>Na</b> sodium 11	24.3 <b>Mg</b> magnesium 12	88.9 <b>Y</b> yttrium 39	91.2 <b>Zr</b> zirconium 40	92.9 <b>Nb</b> niobium 41	95.9 <b>Mo</b> molybdenum 42	[98] <b>Tc</b> technetium 43	101.1 <b>Ru</b> ruthenium 44	102.9 <b>Rh</b> rhodium 45	106.4 <b>Pd</b> palladium 46	107.9 <b>Ag</b> silver 47	112.4 <b>Cd</b> cadmium 48	27.0 <b>Al</b> aluminium 13	28.1 <b>Si</b> silicon 14	31.0 <b>P</b> phosphorus 15	32.1 <b>S</b> sulfur 16	35.5 <b>Cl</b> chlorine 17	39.9 <b>Ar</b> argon 18
39.1 <b>K</b> potassium 19	40.1 <b>Ca</b> calcium 20	87.6 <b>Sr</b> strontium 38	91.2 <b>Zr</b> zirconium 40	92.9 <b>Nb</b> niobium 41	95.9 <b>Mo</b> molybdenum 42	186.2 <b>Re</b> rhenium 75	101.1 <b>Ru</b> ruthenium 44	102.9 <b>Rh</b> rhodium 45	106.4 <b>Pd</b> palladium 46	107.9 <b>Ag</b> silver 47	112.4 <b>Cd</b> cadmium 48	69.7 <b>Ga</b> gallium 31	72.6 <b>Ge</b> germanium 32	74.9 <b>As</b> arsenic 33	79.0 <b>Se</b> selenium 34	79.9 <b>Br</b> bromine 35	83.8 <b>Kr</b> krypton 36
85.5 <b>Rb</b> rubidium 37	87.6 <b>Sr</b> strontium 38	138.9 <b>La*</b> lanthanum 57	178.5 <b>Hf</b> hafnium 72	180.9 <b>Ta</b> tantalum 73	183.8 <b>W</b> tungsten 74	186.2 <b>Re</b> rhenium 75	101.1 <b>Ru</b> ruthenium 44	102.9 <b>Rh</b> rhodium 45	106.4 <b>Pd</b> palladium 46	107.9 <b>Ag</b> silver 47	112.4 <b>Cd</b> cadmium 48	114.8 <b>In</b> indium 49	118.7 <b>Sn</b> tin 50	121.8 <b>Sb</b> antimony 51	127.6 <b>Te</b> tellurium 52	126.9 <b>I</b> iodine 53	131.3 <b>Xe</b> xenon 54
132.9 <b>Cs</b> caesium 55	137.3 <b>Ba</b> barium 56	138.9 <b>La*</b> lanthanum 57	178.5 <b>Hf</b> hafnium 72	180.9 <b>Ta</b> tantalum 73	183.8 <b>W</b> tungsten 74	186.2 <b>Re</b> rhenium 75	190.2 <b>Os</b> osmium 76	195.1 <b>Pt</b> platinum 78	197.0 <b>Au</b> gold 79	197.0 <b>Au</b> gold 79	200.6 <b>Hg</b> mercury 80	204.4 <b>Tl</b> thallium 81	207.2 <b>Pb</b> lead 82	209.0 <b>Bi</b> bismuth 83	[209] <b>Po</b> polonium 84	[210] <b>At</b> astatine 85	[222] <b>Rn</b> radon 86
[223] <b>Fr</b> francium 87	[226] <b>Ra</b> radium 88	[227] <b>Ac*</b> actinium 89	[261] <b>Rf</b> rutherfordium 104	[262] <b>Db</b> dubnium 105	[266] <b>Sg</b> seaborgium 106	[264] <b>Bh</b> bohrium 107	[277] <b>Hs</b> hassium 108	[271] <b>Ds</b> darmstadtium 110	[272] <b>Rg</b> roentgenium 111	[272] <b>Rg</b> roentgenium 111	[272] <b>Rg</b> roentgenium 111	204.4 <b>Tl</b> thallium 81	207.2 <b>Pb</b> lead 82	209.0 <b>Bi</b> bismuth 83	[209] <b>Po</b> polonium 84	[210] <b>At</b> astatine 85	[222] <b>Rn</b> radon 86

Elements with atomic numbers 112-116 have been reported but not fully authenticated

140 <b>Ce</b> cerium 58	141 <b>Pr</b> praseodymium 59	144 <b>Nd</b> neodymium 60	150 <b>Sm</b> samarium 62	152 <b>Eu</b> europium 63	157 <b>Gd</b> gadolinium 64	163 <b>Dy</b> dysprosium 66	165 <b>Ho</b> holmium 67	167 <b>Er</b> erbium 68	169 <b>Tm</b> thulium 69	173 <b>Yb</b> ytterbium 70	175 <b>Lu</b> lutetium 71
232 <b>Th</b> thorium 90	[231] <b>Pa</b> protactinium 91	238 <b>U</b> uranium 92	[242] <b>Pu</b> plutonium 94	[243] <b>Am</b> americium 95	[247] <b>Cm</b> curium 96	[251] <b>Cf</b> californium 98	[251] <b>Es</b> einsteinium 99	[253] <b>Fm</b> fermium 100	[256] <b>Md</b> mendelevium 101	[254] <b>No</b> nobelium 102	[257] <b>Lr</b> lawrencium 103

\* Lanthanide series

\* Actinide series

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