Chapter 1: Matter

Introduction & Atoms

- > Matter is a general term for what forms all living and nonliving things.
- **Chemistry** is the study of matter.
- All things, both living and nonliving, are made of **atoms**. The word "atom" comes from the Greek word *atomos*, which means "uncuttable."
- > Atoms are composed of even *smaller* particles called: **protons, neutrons,** and **electrons**.
- > **Protons & Neutrons** are roughly equal in size.
- Electrons are much smaller!
- ▶ In an atom, the number of protons equals the number of electrons.



Periodic Table of Elements: 1867, Dmitri Mendeleev

- **Elements** are all of the atoms that make up the world.
- > All atoms (elements) are found in the **periodic table of elements**.
 - The elements are arranged horizontally from left to right in order of increasing atomic number.
 - The elements are arranged in the periodic table in groups that are similar.
 - The elements are arranged vertically according to their chemical properties.
- > Atomic Number is the number of protons in the nucleus of each atom.
- > Chemical Properties is the chemical reaction and chemical properties of the element
- > All of the elements have a **symbol**. Look at the periodic table for the symbols.
- > Atomic weight is the weight of each atom.

From Atom to Molecules-Bonds

- > When two or more atoms combine, they form a **molecule**.
- > Atoms in a molecule are "stuck" to each other with **bonds**.
- > Bonds are formed with the electrons from each atom in a molecule.
- > Shared electron bonds is when electrons are shared between two atoms.
- > Shared electron bonds are called **covalent bonds**.
- > Unshared electron bonds is when one atom takes more electrons for itself.
- > Unshared electron bonds are called **ionic bonds**.
- > The number of bonds an atom can form depends on the number of available electrons.
- Different kinds of molecules have different shapes, but molecules of the same kind always have the same shape.

Chapter 3: Chemical Reactions

Reaction Types

- > A chemical reaction occurs whenever bonds between atoms and molecules are created or destroyed
- > There are different kinds of chemical reactions. They are:
 - Combination: reactions where molecules join
 - **Decomposition**: reactions where molecules break apart
 - Displacement: reactions where atoms are removed from molecules
 - Exchange: reactions where atoms of one molecule trade places with atoms of another molecule
- Spontaneous means the reaction happens all by itself, just by mixing the chemicals. Not all chemical reactions occur spontaneously.
- > **Precipitate** is the *cause* to happen suddenly
- Sometimes changes occur that indicate a chemical reaction has taken place. These changes include bubble formation, color changes, temperature changes, and the formation of precipitates (precipitation).

Chapter 4: Acids, Bases & pH

pH Scale, Properties of Acids & Bases, Measuring pH

- > Acids & Bases react with each other in a special kind of exchange reaction.
- > The **pH** tells whether a **solution** is an acid or a base.
- > pH can be measured by **pH meters**, **pH paper**, and **acid-base indicators**.

Chapter 5: Acid-Base Neutralization

Concentration, Titration, Plotting Data, Plot of an Acid-Base Titration

- > An acid and a base neutralize each other in an acid-base reaction.
- > Equal amounts of acid and base completely neutralize each other.

> The concentration of an unknown acid or base can be found using a titration. The concentration of an

Chapter 6: Mixtures

Types of Mixtures, Like Dissolves Like, Soap

- > Mixture means to combine substances to make another substance.
- > There are two types of mixtures: homogeneous & heterogeneous
 - Homogeneous mixtures are made by things that are "like" each other.
 - Heterogeneous mixtures are made by things that are "not like" each other.
- > Things that are "alike" dissolve in each other: *like dissolves like*
- ➢ Soap helps oil "dissolve" in water

Chapter 7: Separating Mixtures

Filtration, Evaporation, Solids, Liquids & Gases, Chromatography

- Mixtures can be separated using different methods including: filtration, evaporation & chromatography
 - Filtration is used to separate smaller things from larger things.
 - **Evaporation** can be used to separate molecules that evaporate from molecules that don't evaporate
 - **Paper chromatography** can be used to separate different colors in ink
- There are three states of matter: solids, liquids, and gases. The molecules in a solid are closer together than the molecules in a liquid. In a gas, the molecules are far apart from each other