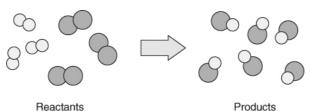
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### **Dalton's atomic theory**

Dalton's theory stated that:

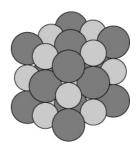
- All matter is made up of tiny particles called atoms.
- Atoms are indestructible, and cannot be created, or destroyed.
- The atoms in an element are all identical.
- In compounds, each atom of an element is always joined to a fixed number of atoms of the other elements.
- During chemical reactions, atoms rearrange, to make new substances.
  For example:



No atoms are lost or gained so the mass of the reactants is equal to the mass of the products.



Atoms of an element.



Atoms in a compound.

### Word equations

The word equation for the above change is:

hydrogen + chlorine → hydrogen chloride **REACTANTS PRODUCTS** 

Some signs of a chemical reaction include:

- colour change
- gas produced
- solid formed from solution
- energy change.

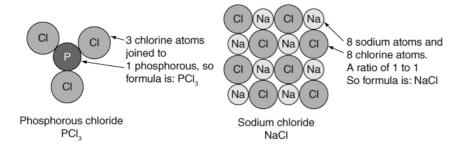
### **Elements and their symbols**

The **symbols** for the elements used today have been agreed by scientists in all countries. They are either a single or double letter. The first letter is always a capital letter.

#### **Examples:**

nitrogen = N lithium = Li sulfur = S copper = Cu chlorine = Cl iron = Fe

#### **Formulae**



The **chemical formula** of a substance tells you the number of atoms of each element that are joined in its molecules, or the ratio of atoms of each element in the compound.

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### Metals and non-metals

The common **properties** of most **metals** are:

- high melting points
- solids at room temperature
- strong and flexible
- malleable
- shiny (when polished)
- good conductors of heat and electricity.

The common properties of most **non-metals** are:

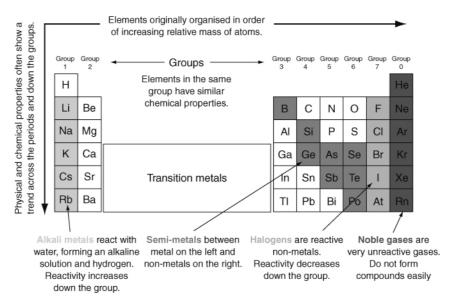
- low melting point
- brittle(when solid)
- not shiny
- poor conductors of heat and electricity.

The properties of a substance are what it looks like or what it does. There are two types of properties:

- chemical properties (e.g. flammability, pH, reaction with acid)
- physical properties (e.g. melting point, boiling point, density).

### The periodic table

The **periodic table** arranges the elements so that elements with similar properties are in the same vertical **group**. The periodic table also allows us to spot trends and patterns.



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### Metal and non-metal oxides

Many elements burn in air/oxygen to form oxides; e.g.:

- calcium + oxygen  $\rightarrow$  calcium oxide
- ullet carbon + oxygen o carbon dioxide
- metal oxides tend to form alkaline solutions.
- non-metal oxides tend to form acidic solutions.

### **Changes of state**

