

## **Introduction to Chemistry**

### **Chemistry**

The study of matter and how matter changes

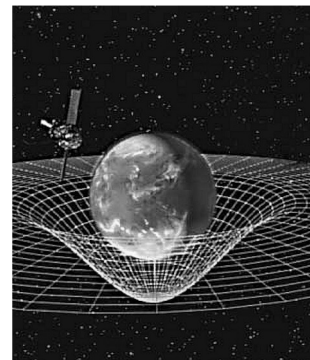
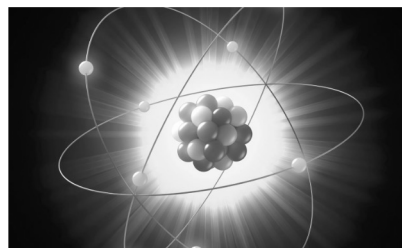
### **Matter**

Any substance that has **mass** and takes up **space**

*Mass* – how *heavy* a substance is (*based on weight*)

*Space* – the amount of space (*volume*) and object takes up

Matter is made of basic parts including atoms, particles smaller than atoms (*subatomic particles*), and combination of atoms (*compounds/molecules*)



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## **Structure of Matter**

Matter consists of single particles (*atoms*), and combination of particles (*compounds/molecules*)



### **The atom**

The *atom* is the most fundamental form of matter, containing all the main particles (*subatomic particles*) that make up matter.

### **Elements**

Individual *types* of atoms based on the internal structure of the atoms

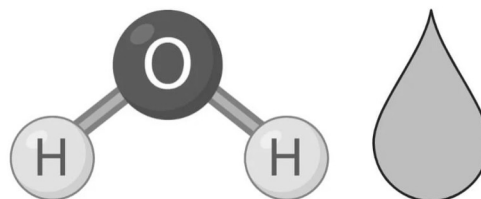
Ex: All atoms of the element sodium (Na) are the same based on the base subatomic particles (protons,  $p^+$ ) in the atom

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## Combining Atoms

### Combination of Atoms

Atoms commonly are found in combination with other atoms, both atoms of the same type (*diatomic element*), and with atoms of different types (*compounds and molecules*)



### Compounds and Molecules

A *compound* is a combination of two types of atoms, a *metal*, and a *non-metal*. A *molecule* is a combination of two non-metals, and are forms of matter that are common in nature.

**Compounds:** NaCl (1Na, 1Cl, table salt) **Molecules:** H<sub>2</sub>O (2H, 1O, water)

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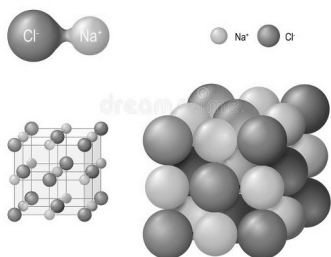
## Compound and Molecules

**Compounds** are formed when repeating positive (+) and negative (-) ions (*charged atoms*) interact together to form a connection (*bond*)

**Molecules** are formed when to *non-metals* interact together to bond

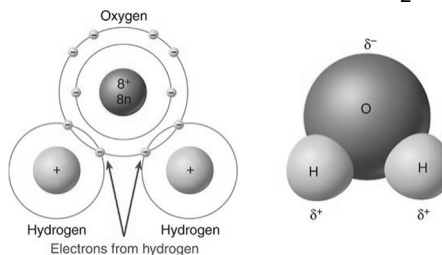
### Compound

Sodium Chloride (NaCl), Salt



### Molecule

Dihydrogen Monoxide (H<sub>2</sub>O), Water



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## **Development of Chemistry**

### **Metallurgy and Pottery**

Metallurgy: Mixing of Metals to form an  
*Alloy*, two metals combined

Pottery: Mixing of natural *clays*

### **Alchemy**

The process of using basic elements to change matter into new forms of matter (*mainly silver, Ag, and gold, Au*)

- Elements: Fire, Air, Water, Earth -



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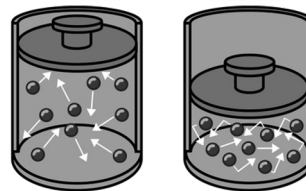
### **Modernization of Science**

Scientists began experimenting with basic forms of matter to understand nature and the reactions of matter.

Boyle – Gas studies, Pressure related to volume

Hook – Combination of gases in air with oxygen

Mayow – Respiration in animals



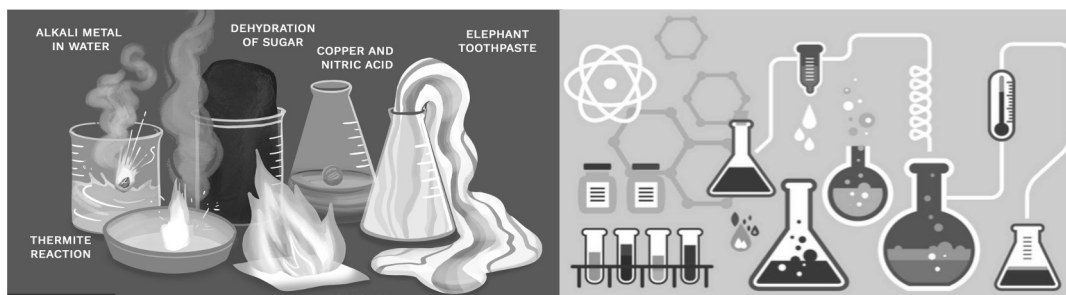
*Lavoisier* came later and put together the many independent discoveries to create the first textbook of chemistry in 1700's

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## **Development of Chemistry**

### Modern Chemistry

Chemistry is the study of the composition (*make up*) of the atoms, compounds, molecules, and macro substances (*states of matter interactions*) that work in nature.



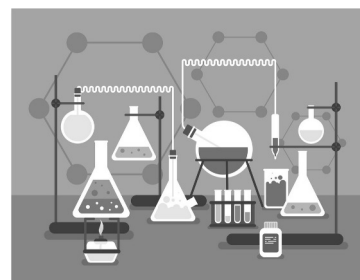
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## **Development of Chemistry**

### Laboratory Experiments

Labs are done as part of the class to accomplish the following

- Part of the scientific method
- Learn a Lab technique or process
- Verify or provide evidence in the process of learning a new topic or concept
- Allow the practice of both a new topic while using laboratory techniques

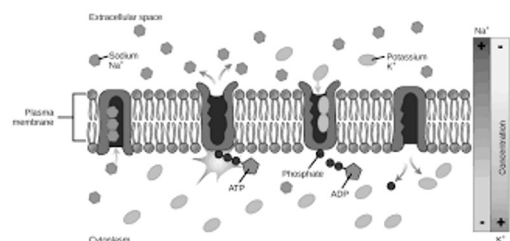


Labs are very important for both teaching skills both in and out of the classroom but to also analyze information and draw conclusions

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## The Central Science

Chemistry is considered the **central science** because it serves as the explanation for larger *scientific study* and *research*



### Cellular Ion Transport

In *Biology* ions are transported over cell membranes due to + and – ion charges



### Volcanos

In *earth science* volcanos form due to the *thermal energy* flow within the crust and magma inside